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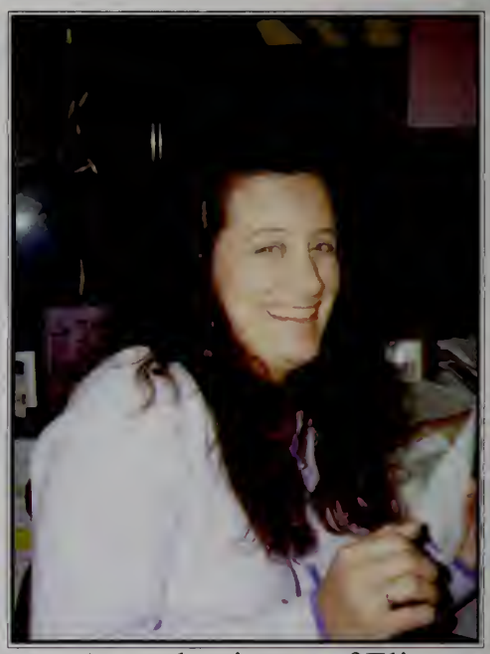
The 2003 LAMP Dedication: Elisa Scarsella

Every year, the Yearbook staff dedicates the LAMP to a person or persons that we feel has made a great impact on the students lives here at Lasell College. The staff looks for not only that impact, but also dedication and devotion to the student body. For 2003, we have chosen an individual that has given countless hours of hard work and dedication to the student body.

As the Office Manager for Student Affairs Elisa is the first person that students are greeted by when they enter the Office of Student Affairs. Elisa is always ready to help. Elisa has been a vital member of the Lasell Community for nearly five years. Because of her outstanding dedication, passion toward helping students and her many contributions to student life we proudly dedicate this edition of the LAMP to Elisa Scarsella!

Elisa climbing the wall.

Posing in Student Affairs.



An early picture of Elisa.

Elisa working with students in 2002.

Elisa, Alex (student) and Anne Marie posing at Halloween.

The LAMP would like to say a special Good bye to Miss Molly DeStafney.

Molly discussing AmeriCorp.

Molly working hard at her desk in Plummer House.

Molly representing the Center for Community Based Learning.

Molly has served as Lasell College's VISTA over the past two years. During her time here at Lasell she has made a huge impact on our lives. She has overseen the American Reads Program, the Center for Community Based Learning Special Events projects, the Habitat Summer Trip and she has even taken classes with us. She has been an educator to all those who have come into contact with her. She has warmed our hearts and encouraged us to think outside the box. She will be dearly missed by all of 'her kids' as she affectintly calls the Lasell students that she works with. We will miss her smile and her laugh. We wish you the best Molly!

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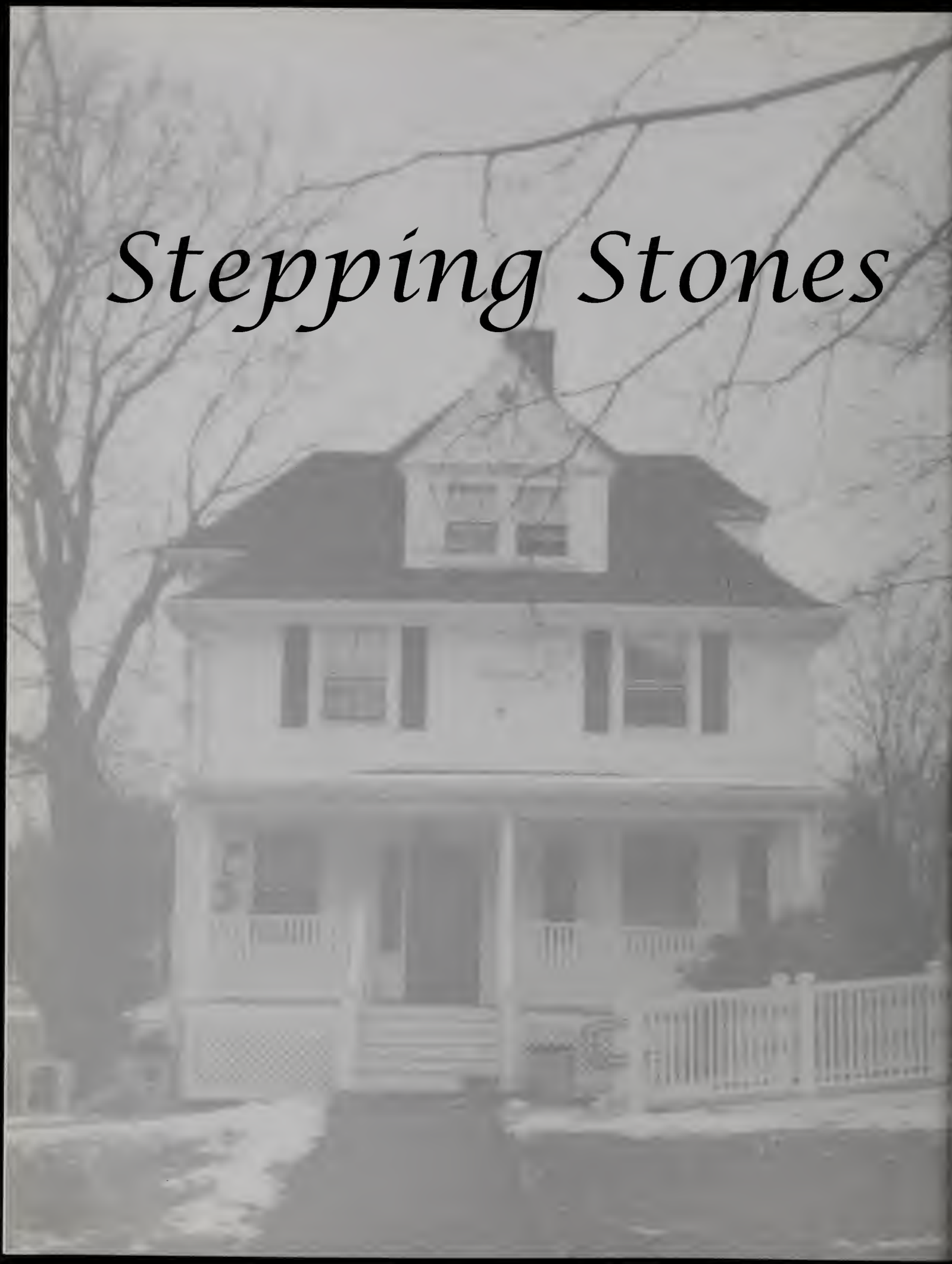

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The King and Queen of Lasell

Wayne Kreis

From: Belle Mead, TN
Major: Public Policy
Class: Junior
Activities involved in on campus:
Yearbook General Editor
SGA Vice President of Student Affairs
Resident Assistant
Summer Orientation Leader
Opinion Editor for 1851 Newspaper
Special Event Coordinator for Center for Public Service
MACC Leader
Ambassador for Graduate Admissions
CAB Chair of Cultural Events
FYS co-facilitator
Peer Mentor
Mens Lacrosse NCAA Mens Rep
Emerging Leader Graduate
Student Leader of the Year 2002
Years at Lasell: 2 year

Wayne Lives in Forest Suites

Hobbies:
Hiking, Swimming, Traveling to Europe & Shopping

Favorite TV Shows:
Simpsons, Alias

Alyssa Hein

From: Catasauqua, PA
Major: Fashion Merchandising
Class: Junior
Activities involved in on Campus:
SGA Vice President for Internal Affairs
CAB Entertainment Chair
Women's Soccer Captain
Peer Mentor
Summer/Fall Orientation Leader for 3 years
Emerging Leader Graduate
FYS co-facilitator for 2 years
Student Affairs work-study
Outstanding Student Leadership Award 2003
National Orientation Directors Association
Years at Lasell: 3 years
Alyssa Lives in Gardner

Hobbies:
Shopping & hanging out with friends

Favorite TV Shows: Dawson's Creek

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2nd Annual Halloween Safe Party

CAB continues to show why they are one of the top organizations on the Lasell Campus.

This year was the 2nd Annual Halloween Safe Party for the Campus Activities Board. This event was another great success for the CAB team. Many clubs and organizations once again joined in to volunteer their time and effort. Other groups that joined in this year included the Business Club, Gestalt, the Student Government Association, BILAGA, SAAC, the Sports Medicine Club and First Year Seminar class. This event allowed for children in the greater Newton area to come and spend some time in a safe environment for Halloween. They were able to go through the spooky house, make caramel apples, have their faces painted, listen to scary stories, play in the always favorite bouncy bounce, make slime, paint a pumpkin and even trick-or-treat. The event is an exciting time when Lasell students are able to help our surrounding community.

CAB President Mitch Phillips and SGA Junior Class Rep. Meredith Brady enjoying the party

SGA Senior Class Rep. Dave McInnis having some fun in the bouncy

Like...Oh My God...Tiz...Totally

The Sports Medicine Club....making those sticky, caramel apples

The Slime making process

"Thank you Lasell" - the kids

Story time with Gestalt

Trick-or-Treat

Hold very still.....Face Painting

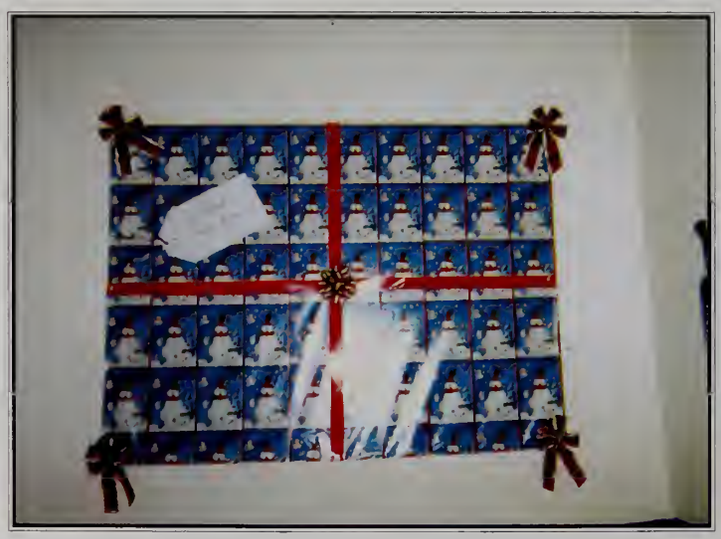
FYS Class....the Slime makers

Holiday

Each year the Office of Student Affairs gives the opportunity for residential halls to have a decorating contest for the holiday season.
The judges bestowed several different awards on various residential halls this year.
It is always the highlight of the year for residents and RA's to come together and deck the halls.

Stockings hang for the residence waiting for presents to fill them.

Some Forest residents went all out in decorating their room for the contest.



Decorating

Oh Christmas Tree. Oh Christmas Tree.

Santa's footprints left under the tree.

MIDNIGHT MADNESS

Laser Athletics . . .

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MEN'S SOCCER

Top row from left to right: Head Coach Giovanni Pacini, Assistant Coach Jordan Scaccia, Micheal Pertucelli, James Donahue, Jeff Bradford, Ryan Shaunessy, Wade Griffith, Graig Murphy, Anthony Maimone, Aurel, Matt Denham, Brent Pecchia, Thomas Jenkins, David Richard, Michael Carr, Manager Caitlin Zmayefski
Bottom Row from left to right: Ryan Michelangelo, Justin Henderson, Shauron Holloman, David Mcinnis, Anthony Scarsella, Bryan Sylveira, Dean Scarsella, Ronny Saleron, Chris Hickey, Donnie Fenwick, Hayden Barbosa, Michael Navedo

NAC Champions 2002!!!!!

Some Fans watching a great game of soccer.

The men posted a record of 13-4-2! Great Job!

WOMEN'S SOFTBALL

Softball Team 2003

Girls just wanna have fun!!

Hit a home run!!!

Courtney the team's # 1 fan, has yet to miss a game with friend Diana.

Laura Stone pitching at the mound.

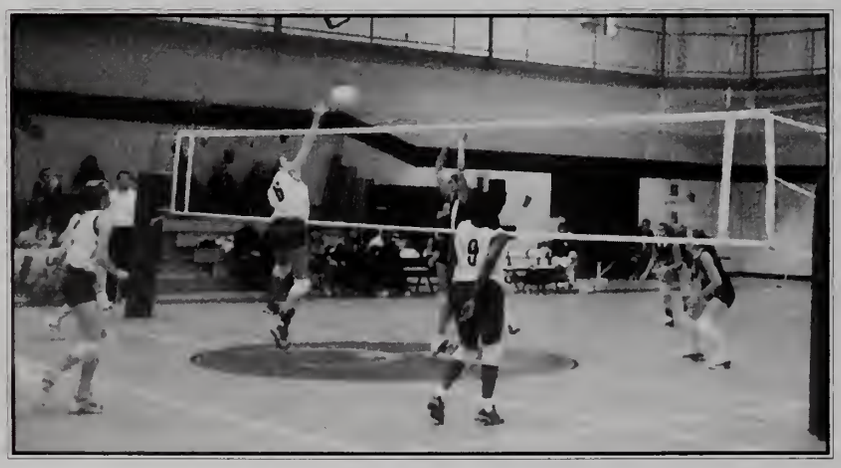
The softball team playing ball in the 1950s'

Team huddle!!!!

WOMEN'S VOLLEYBALL

PRESENTING LASELL COLLEGE'S WOMEN'S VOLLEYBALL TEAM!:

#1 JANET JENNINGS-SENIOR
#3 MASSIELLE MORALES-JUNIOR
#4 CHRISTINE LE-FRESHMEN
#5 WENDY RIDDLE-FRESHMAN
#7 DIANA MAIATO-JUNIOR
#9 KIMBERLY ORELLANA-JUNIOR
#11 TANYA BARBOSA-JUNIOR
#12 MELISSA PETRONE-SOPHOMORE
#13 DANIELLE EID-JUNIOR
#15 ANNIE DeMARIE-SOPHOMORE
TANIA CIRINO-JUNIOR
HEAD COACH: MARY TOM (6th year)
ASSISTANT COACH: KARIN CHUE (6th year)



Lasell Cross Country

Andrea Kimball...run girl run!

The 2002 team posing under a shade tree.

The women at the starting line.

The first track team here at Lasell - 1915

The Lasell track team taking the win....in 1917!

James and Matt running together.

Lasell College Field Hockey Team Builds On Long Tradition

The Lasell College Field Hockey team is one of the oldest teams around. This year they finished their season 3-13 overall and 2-7 in the conference. The Lasers started strong, winning two conference games in Maine against Thomas College and Husson College. In mid-season, injuries were a factor and the team lost a few games. However, the future is bright for the filed hockey team.

Two seniors will be graduating, Myya Beck and Becky Woodrick, with three years under their belt. Head Coach Jessica King said that it will be hard to replace Myya's leadership and consistent play as sweeper. She also stated that Becky really stepped up at the end of the year and her leadership will be severally missed.

Laser Field Hockey driving down the field.

Myya handles the ball.

Meredith voices her concerns as Becky looks on.

Diana and Jen ...

ne 2002 Lasell College Field Hockey Team: (top row L-R) Head Coach Jessica King, Linda Williams, Stephanie Boorman, lexa Goscinski, Meghan Burke, Julie Kontos, Nerrisa Tucker, Assistant Coach Mary Meagher. (middle row) Ashleigh Wiesel, Danille Dorais, Abby Coakley, Heidi Hanna, Julie Losordo, Jen Kreutzberg, Myya Beck. (bottom row) Captains: Tarah Martell, Meredith Brady and Becky Woodrick.

cheer the team on.

The team in action !

Women's Lacrosse: building year after year

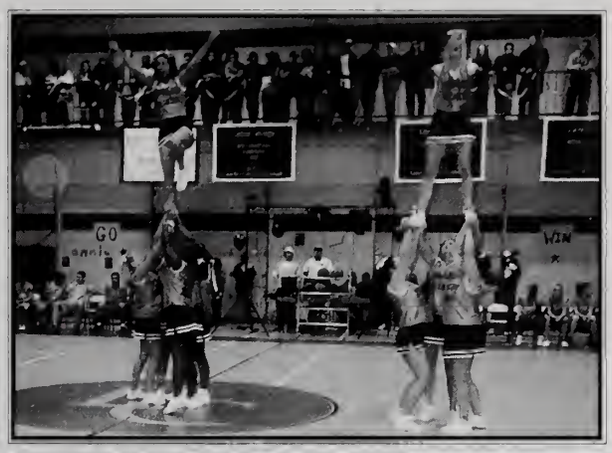
The Laser Women's Lacrosse team running the ball down the field before scoring a goal.

Taking time to cheer the men on.

The Women's Lacrosse team contiunes to grow and develop. The team began the 2003 season on a winning note and looks to build from there. They have a strong class of recruits and have no seniors, so they can build this year and dominate next year.

Getting ready to bring the ball in.

Below: The face-off beginning the second half of play at the home opener for the women.



Cheerleaders in ACTION !!!

The 2002-2003 squad pose with the Men's Basketball team after the guys won their 2nd NAC championship

Cheerleaders: they have SPIRT !

MEN'S BASKETBALL

HARD WORK AND DEDICATION IS THE KEY TO SUCCESS...JUST ASK THESE GUYS, THEY KNOW FROM EXPERIENCE

STERN CHAMBERLAIN

HEAD COACH : CHRIS HARVEY
ASSISTANT COACH: REGGIE HOBBS
ASSISTANT COACH: RYAN KILLIAN

NAC CHAMPIONS!!!!!!!

JIMMY PRIGNANO
DEMETRIUS DEJESUS
EVANS CAZEAU
GREGORY WALKER
STERN CHAMBERLAIN
JAMES SMITH
MIKE GALLAGHER
DAVID MONTVILLE
MICHAEL CONNOR
JAMES IOSUA
BERNARD BUTTONE
ROB GOLDSTEIN
MICHAEL UNWIN
ANWAR HUNTE

WOMEN'S BASKETBALL

You need to work to win.

Theresa Allen is smiling after a hard day of practice
Watch Out!

The girls will never give up.

The History of 2002-2003:The outlook for this year's Lasell women's basketball team looks strong. After only graduating one player from last year's team, Lasell seemed to be poised to be one of the favorites within the league. owever, injuries have fored two other returners to withdraw from this year's team. The team seems to be in good shape for this season. A solid nucleus, including all five starters, return from last year's team. Add in a solid recruiting class, including 1000 point scorer Theresa Allen, McDonald's All-American Candidate Mandi Rapisardi, Manoucheka Pierre, Mio Kurashina, and Hannah Wolf, and Lasell has all the makings for sucess.This year's schedule has been stepped up, as the women will face national powers Emmanuel and Babson, along with taking part in an early season tournament at SUNY-lattsburgh. The league schedule will also differ this year, as long with games against rivals Maine Martitime, Elms, Lesly, and It. Ida, the Laser will play two new league opponents, Johnson St. and Castleton St. from Vermont. Both of these programs have establised strong traditions, and they will make the NAC an even better conference.

The Women's Basketball Team from the 1950's

icture on page 28: The Basketball Team: Top (Left to right)- Assistant coach Nick Torani, Timarra Warren, Alexa oscinski, Stacy George, Keri Tucker, Robin Lowe, Mio Kurashina, Manoushka Pierre, Head Coach Dan Hunt ottom (left to right): Hanna Wolf, Joanna Morin, Monica Sheppard, Tricia Sylvester, Mandi Rapisardi, Theresa Allen lissing from Picture: Assistant Coach Joanie Kelly

Laser Lacrosse

Coach Tim Duton starts his first year as head coach for the Lasers. The 2002 season saw the Lasers go 11-3 and make great strides toward a National Title. Unfortunately, the team lost several key players. The 2003 season got off to a slow start, but the Lasers got back on track and turned their season around. The team has seven seniors that it will say goodbye to this year - they are Mike Norton, Dave McInnis, Mark Marquart, Matt Hutchinson, Mike Gallagher, Dan Hogan, and Mitch Phillips. The team wishes them the best of luck.

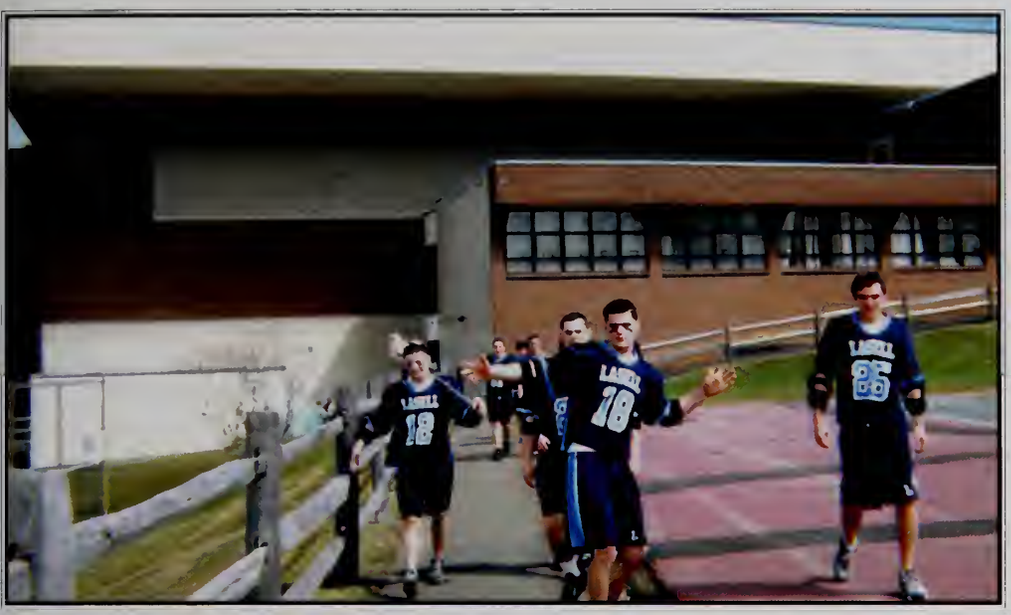
The team hudles before they take the field.

Goalkeeper and the defense unit await their opponents.

Senior Attackman Mark Marquart.

Freshman Jared and Steve warm up before a game at New Haven.

Senior Mid-Fielder Dave McInnis relaxing.



The Lasers having a little fun before they take the field at UNH (Lasers won 15-6)

Senior Defense man Mike Gallagher.

Louie making like a snow angle in the home opener.

The first home game saw freezing temperature and snow. The Lasers won 23-6 over Clark.

Lasers taking part in pre-game warm-ups and drills at an away field.

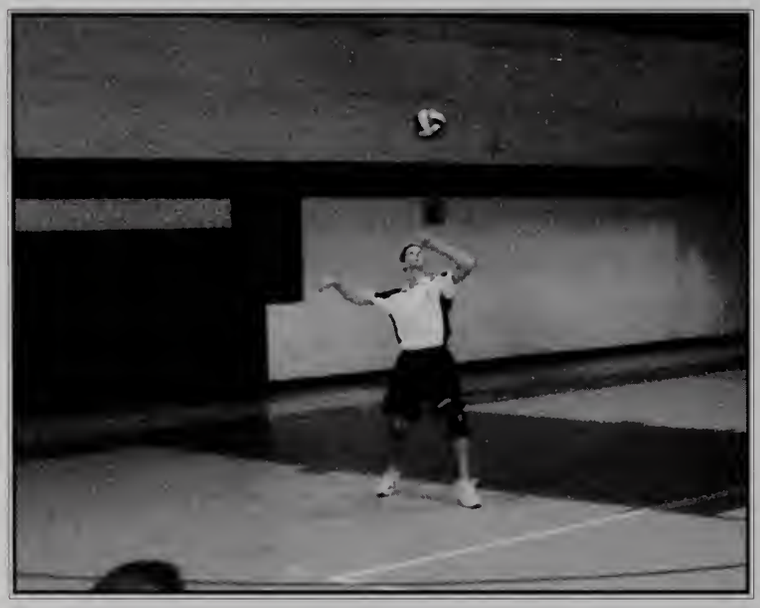
Pre-game MAN DOWN drill.

MEN'S VOLLEYBALL

2003 Men's Volley Ball team:
Timothy Bishop, James Dunn, Aweis Abu, Jason Lively, David Tran, Mark Henry, Matt Stanley, Chris Morin, Justin Ruggiero, Ryan Morrell, Reggie Rabel.

Reggi serving during a game.

Lasell playing hard against Mount Ida.



Mark serving to help Lasell win.

Women's SOCCER

The women's soccer team practicing in the 1950s'.

op row: Coach Laura Noah, Sarah Phillips, Ashley Matthews, A llegra Deluca, Elizabeth Gallunt, Kelly Cole, Laura Stone, Jamie)oron, Kimberly Jordon, Jen Cronin, Gina Demico, Coach Dave Glidden, Coach Doreen Second row: Maris Curtis, Julie Larsen, Merina Anderson, Jacquline Senos, Sarah Pochibit, Caroline Regina, CarolynSanders, Danica Nuppe, Danille Thousand, Bottom ow: Capts Stephanie Williams, Alyssa Hein. Not pictured: Brittney Falite

Student Organizations...

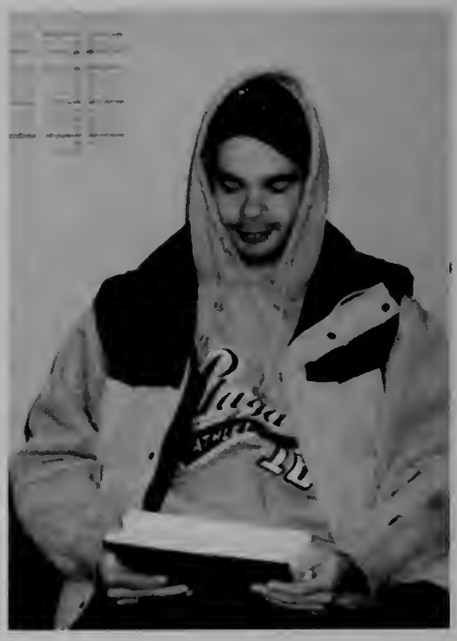
YEARBOOK

What is Yearbook? Yearbook is about taking pictures, especially candids, invading events and sports teams. Running around trying to get the best shot and then in the end putting it all together. Our yearbook staff is made up of talented, artistic individuals who work hard to preserve Lasell College memories.

Chantel taking a break in the cafe.

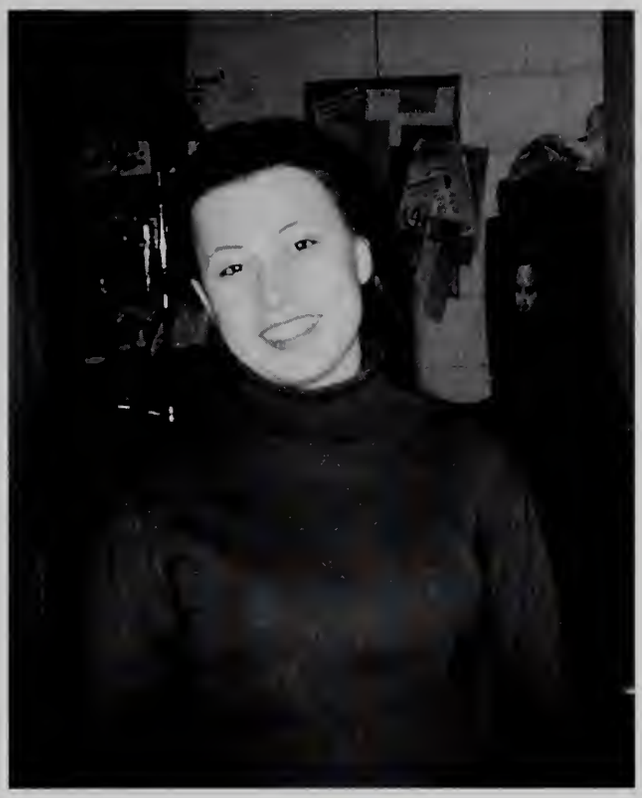
Ami and Beata looking over proofs.

Jamica proofing the yearbook pages over Waynes' shoulder.



Troy updating his notes

Ami...are you late for a Yearbook meeting?



Beata on her way to Yearbook

Amy and Jessica working hard on the Yearbook

2002-2003 LAMP Staff:

Jamica Love-
Yearbook Advisor
Beata G -Business Editor
Amy P - Photo Editor
Chantel D- Layout Editor
Wayne K- General Editor
Staff:
Ami R, Jessica C, Troy W

"Stepping Stones"

The Student Government Association

This year marked a stellar year for the Student Government Association. SGA took on a new attitude for the 2002-2003 school year. It marked the first time that SGA took on legislative agendas. The SGA senate passed a number of proactive bills to send to the Administration for their consideration. SGA also brought back the old "Breakfast by Moonlight". The new improved version was renamed Winter Pre-Solstice Party and it was a huge success for the SGA Food Committee and Sodexho.

Alyssa going over her notes

Jeff and Meredith

2002 SGA Tree Trimming

The Executive Board in action

Wayne, Jenn and Alicia at the President's home

Ryan looks on as Dave smiles for the photo

President de Witt holding his Christmas gifts from SGA

Nikki opening her gift from her secret Santa

The 2003 SGA :

President: Nikki Sweeten
Vice President of Student Affairs: Wayne Kreis
Vice President of Academic Affairs: Carla Mercurio
Vice President of Finance: Ryan Kelleher
Vice President of Internal Affairs: Alyssa Hein

Senior Representative: Dave McInnis
Junior Representative: Meredith Brady
Sophomore Representative: Keith Tower
Freshman Representative: Aida Meija
Commuter Representative: Tracey Maloney
Senator: Troy Wall
Senator: Brian Frail
Senator: Emily Brackett
Senator: Jeff Bradford
Senator: Jenn Watts
Senator: Melinda Negron
Senator: Amy Pilat
Senator: Kate MacIlvane

SGA working meeting

Alicia and Keith listen during an SGA debate

Brian and Carla having fun at the party

Food Committee:

Maryanne and Victor listen to the discussion.

Serving line at the Pre-Winter Solstice Party.

Ami and Elisa take a break in the planning of an event.

The Food Committee was a joint effort between the Lasell students, faculty, staff and Sodexo. The Food Committee made great strides in representing the concerns of Lasell students, faculty and staff.
One feat of the Food Committee this year was the Pre-Winter Solstice Party. It was enjoyed by all that attended.

The Spring 2003 Committee:
Students-

Victor Cipolla
Ami Ruehrwein
Laura Miller
Keith Tower
Tiziana Buddle
Crista Cannata
Wayne Kreis
Alyssa Hein
Dave McInnis
Meredith Brady
Troy Wall
Reggie Rabel

Faculty/Staff-

Margaretta Arnold
Wendy Ferrucci
JP Beaulac
Maryanne Conroy-Miller
Elisa Scarsella
Dee Crescitelli
Jeff Bishop

GESTALT...

PRESIDENT & EDITOR IN CHIEF TRACY MALONEY

LASELL COLLEGES' LITERARY MAGAZINE WAS STARTED IN 2000 BY BRIAN FRAIL...

MIMI REDDICLIFFE-ADVISOR

ALBERT DEE....VICE PRESIDENT & ASSISTANT EDITOR
MICHELLE JENNETT...SECRETARY & POETRY EDITOR
AMY PERRY...TREASURER & EDITORIAL EDITOR
ZAMANTHA MONTERROSA...FUNDRAISING COORDINATOR & SHORT STORY & ESSAY EDITOR
GINNIE CHOW...ART EDITOR
LIZ MCKEON...STAFF
AIDA MEJIA....STAFF

...THE TITLE FOR THE YEAR 2002-03 IS PAINTINGS OF THE SOUL.

2003 MARKS THE FIRST YEAR THAT PHOTOGRAPHS, ARTWORK, AND VILLAGE SUBMISSIONS WERE ACCEPTED!

HOSPITALITY

Crista Cannata in her sexy pajamas!

Tiziana & Crystal chit-chatting after lunch

Hey! Its Amy...Gotcha!

Tarah... lookin just as cute as ever

Now Nixa, that's not lady like!!!!!

Coffee House

Nixa is enjoying listening to the music.

Camille, getting caught drinking coffee.

Everyone is having fun!!

Emily and Amy amazed at the performance.

SISTERHOOD/ BROTHERHOOD

Sisterhood and Brotherhood is a club where you are define one's self and speak one's mind. Make each other problem's ours and solve them together. Use our creativity, talent and engeries to improve one's mind and heart. The goals for the year 2002-2003 are poetry slam, talent show, movie night, rolling dinner, fund raising, party, community service activities, design our own T-shirts and work with other clubs on campus. Toya Barnes started up sisterhood and brotherhood in the year 1999, to promote diversity awareness. Check out the family during a meeting.

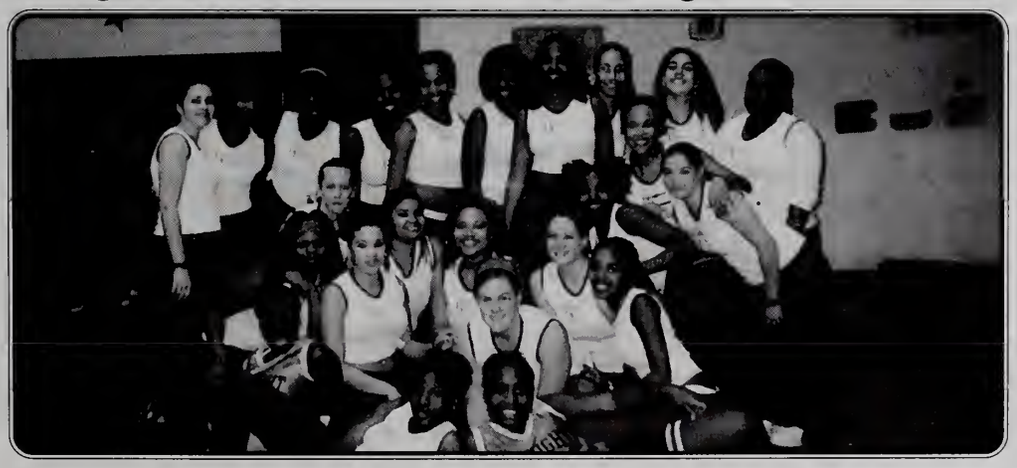
RHYTHM UNIQUE

'en Edwards, Michelle Dalrymple, Monica Silva, and Avari Thomas re using all their energy even t practice.

Jen Edwards and Nedra Garriques raising money for the dance team.

Sparklle Thames and Sandra Fontes

Rhythm Unique was founded in the year 1999 by Toya Barnes. Rhythm Unique dance club started off dancing jazz/funk dances but as time pass they focused their dancing on hip-hop. They perform at Midnight Madness, talent show, and during halftime at Lasell's basketball games.



CAMPUS ACTIVITES BOARD

Julie and Stacey munching on fries at a Coffee House.

Alyssa putting ice down Bernard's pants at "CAB" gives it away.

Members of CAB signing up to help at upcoming events.

President of CAB Mitch Phillips at NACA with his new monkey friend.

Crystal Crafts Vice President of CAB showing off her Lasell shirt at Family and friends weekend.

Halloween safe party.

Karaoke in the cafe. Sing away Ladies!

Everyone stuffing their faces at "CAB" gives it away trying to win a DVD player.

CaB (Campus Activities Board) Executive Board

Mitchell Phillips-President
Crystal Crafts-Vice President
Dondrelle Milligan-Major Events Chair
Alyssa Hein-Entertainment Chair
Amy Pilat-Secretary of Operations
Kelly Lynch-Advertisement & Recruitment Chair
Wayne Kreis-Cultural Events Chair

Jamica N. Love-Advisor

Special Thanks to Ami Ruehrwein Honorary CaB Staff Assistant

Come Support Bilaga

BILAGA

(Bisexual, Lesbian, Gay and Transgender Alliance)

The purpose of this organization is to promote the Bisexual, Gay, Lesbian and Transgender community at Lasell College and to create social, recreational and awareness opportunities for ourselves and Lasell community. This club is open to all the students at Lasell College.

Advisor Robin Smedick, President Victor Cipolla, and Vice President Diane Bourbeau smile for the camera.

Members of BILAGA discussing upcoming events

Catlin reads up on the issues while Victor leads the discussion and Ami waits her turn to speak.

Let Bilaga Support You

SAAC
Student Athlete Advisory Council

Meredith Brady posing for the camera.

"Surprise!!!"

Mike working hard at the meeting.

SAAC President Mike Norton and SAAC Vice President Chris Hickey - having a little fun at a Laser Field Hockey home game.

EMERGING LEADERS

Emerging Leaders is a program for freshman and sophomores who were chosen by the faculty to learn more about leadership roles both on and off of campus.

Steve and Lisa discussing what it takes to be a leader.

Jamica Love's Emerging Leaders Class poses for the camera.

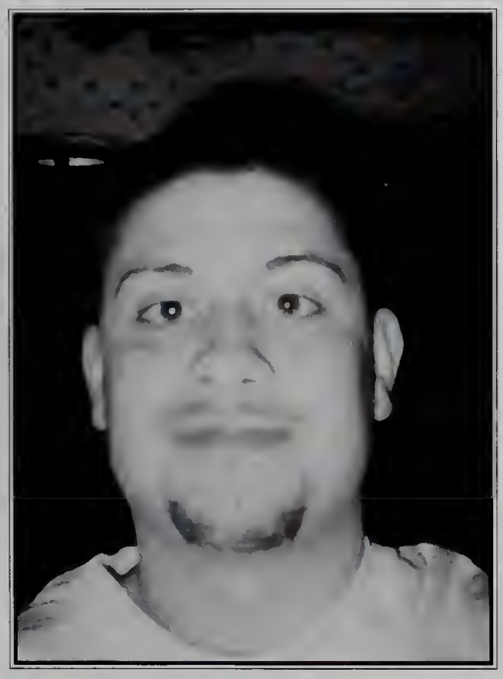
Aida patiently waiting for class to begin.

More potential leaders.

Anne-Marie Kenney's Emerging Leaders smiling for the camera.

CARIBBEAN BEAT

CARIBBEAN BEAT WAS ACTIVE WITH SEVERAL EVENTS THIS YEAR. EVENTS HOSTED IN 2002-2003: CD SWAP, BLACK LIGHT DANCE, AND FREESTYLE BATTLES.

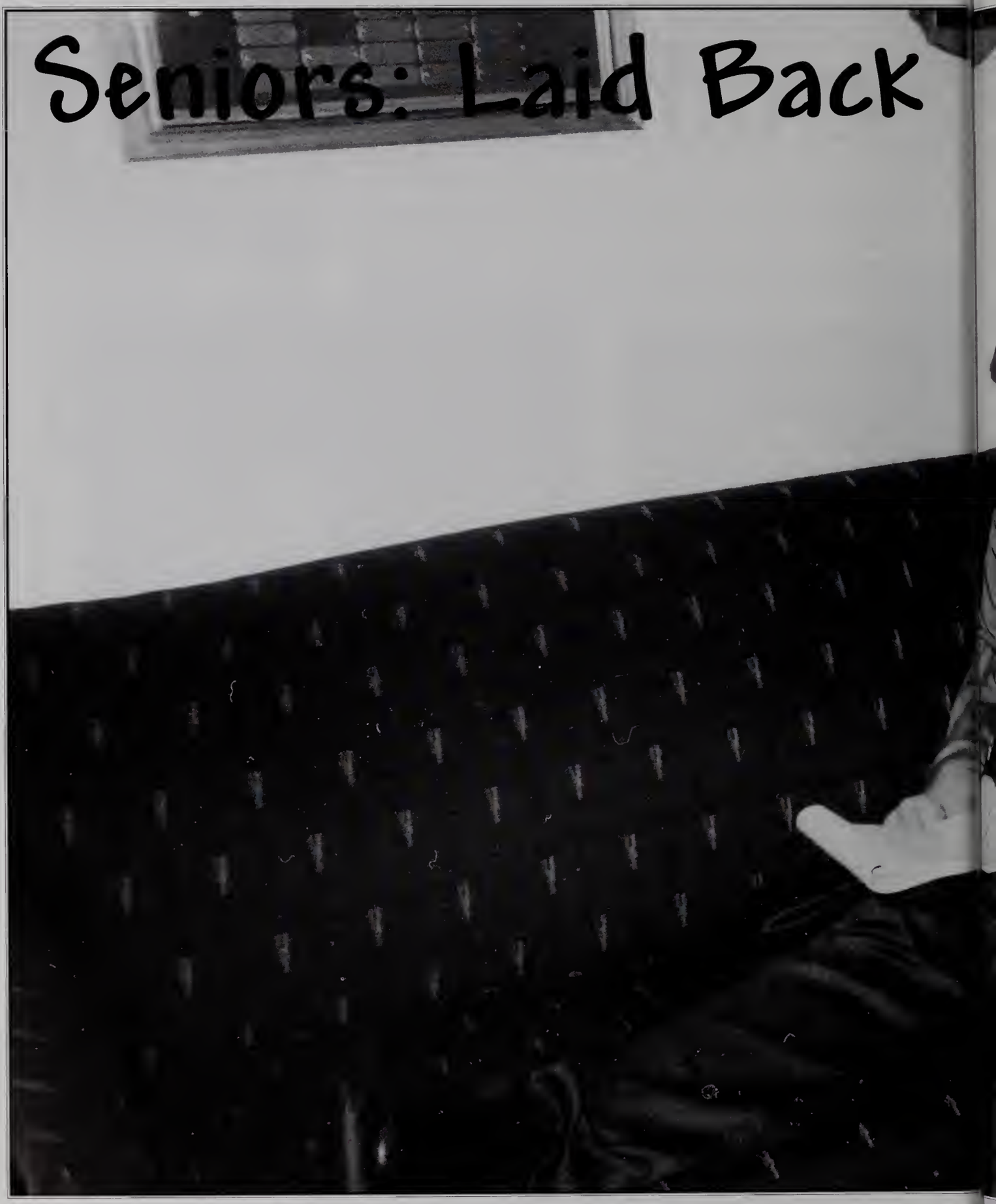


President Raffi Riviera taking a time out

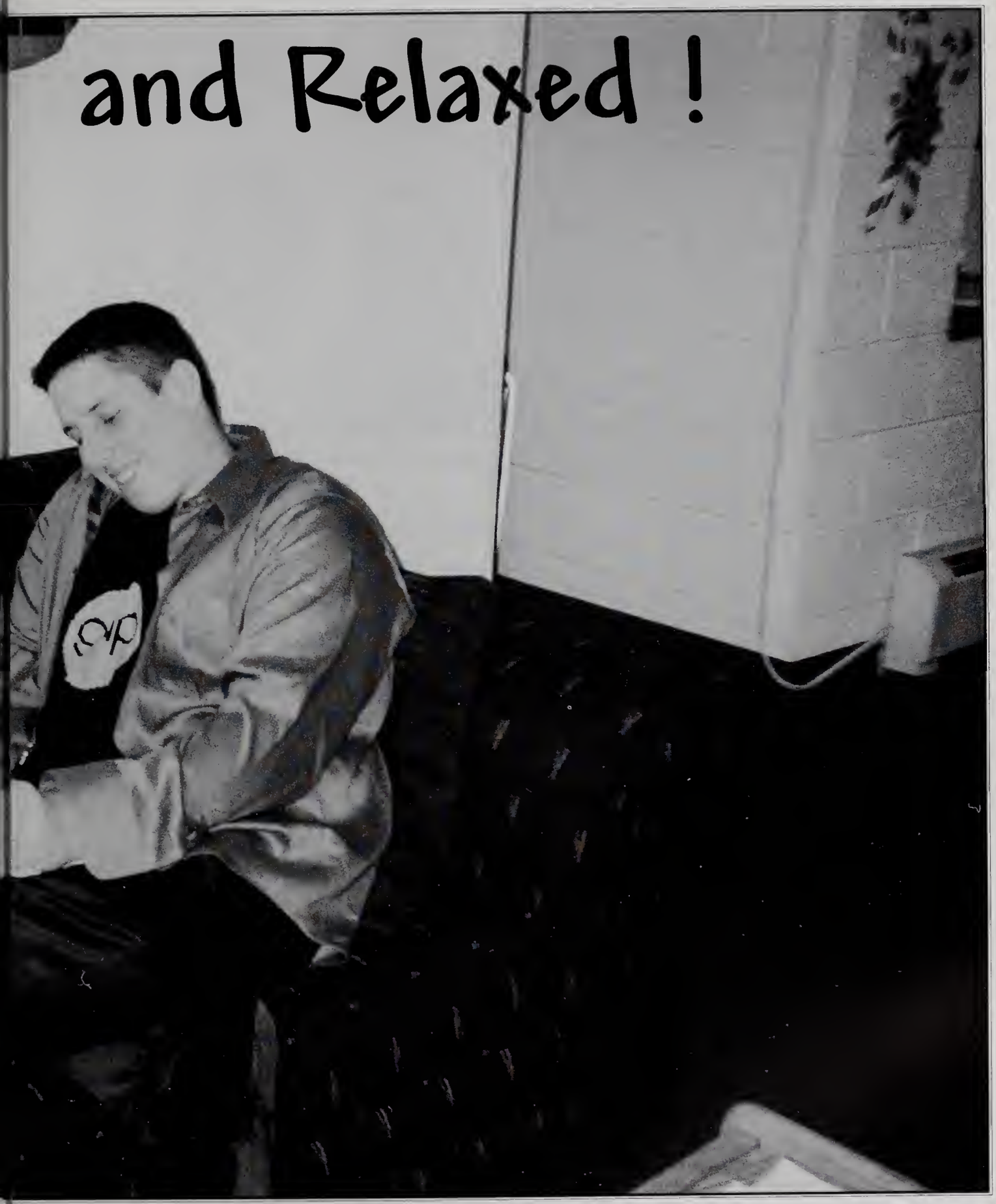
Members celebrating a successful turn out

Aida and Danielle getting the event ready.

Seniors: Laid Back



and Relaxed !



In Memory of Christy M. Proctor-1980-2003

And if I go, while you're still here....
know that I live on,
vibrating to a different measure
behind a thin veil you cannot see through.

You will not see me,
so you must have faith.

I wait for the time when
we can soar together again,
both aware of each other.

Until then, live your life to its fullest
and when you need me,
just whisper my name in your heart,
...I will be there.

— Emily Dickinson

Melissa Aiello
Human Services

"For the most important lesson in life was when you said: strive for what you believe in, set goals and you can achieve them." Jay-z

Anushka Ali
Marketing

Therese Ashe
Psychology

Bethany Baillio
Fashion Merchandising

Breanna Barnes
Fashion Merchandising

Carla Bascope
Fashion Merchandising

"Live each chapter in life without regrets"

Time flies when you have the best of friends. Cheers, to the family dinners, theme nights, my lacrosse confidants, spring break '01. I love you guys, peace.

Matthew Beaupre
Communications

Myya Beck
Fashion Merchandisin

Never let the clouds of the past cast shadows on the future of today.

Thank you mom, dad, Ty, Zach, for always believing in me and having trust in me. I love you.

Tania Bertoldi
Day Care Administration

"The river runs from dark to light if I sail from your sight it does not mean the journey ends it only means the river bends. Anonoymns

I did it! Thank you mom & dad for your support and guidance!! Thanks Mell for those late nights doing art projects!!!

Allison Blackmore
Human Services

Christine Bjork
Psychology

Diane Bourbeau
ECE Pre K-2

Amanda Boyum
ECE Pre K-2

Jeffrey Bradford
Finance

Robert Bullock III
IDS/ Social Sciences

Amanda Burns
ECE Pre K-2

"A person needs just three things to be truly happy in this world...
someone to love,
something to do, and
something to hope for."
-Tom Bodett

Thank you mom, Herba, and Heidi for all your love and support. I couldn't have gotten this far without you! Love you all very much !!

Kerry Bussiere
ECE 1-6

Victor Cipolla
Hopitality, Travel & Tourism

You can run from disappointments you are trying to forget but it is only when you embrace the past you truly move forward.

Thank you to everyone who has supported me. Thanks to my family, who have allowed me to continue my education. I love u guys. To my friends CZ, AR, CC, JM, KJ. To JL you have been through a lot with me. I love you.

Tania Cirino
Human Services

"Moving on is simple, it's what you leave behind that's hard."
First, I would like to thank all my friends for the best years of my life. I would like to thank my mom for believing in me and helping me get through. Last, but not least this one is in honor of my father, for shining down on me from heaven and guiding me through the right path. Love ya!!!

Amy Cooley
Communications

Alicia Condlin
ECE 1-6

I want to thank everyone who has helped me get through college,
Thank you so much!

Catherine Correia
Athletic Training

"Maybe it's good to put things in perspective, but sometimes, I think that the only perspective is to really be there, because it's okay to feel things and be who you are about them!!"
Thank you to my family & friends for all your support & love. A special thanks to my AT family, especially LK & al our"study groups My roommates for putting up wit me, Cookie for all of our heart to hearts; Jessie & Elisa, from Woodland days till now. SA you're the greatest, JC, TY, BW, TY for opening my eyes my eyes, ALC- sempre....

Christina Cronin
Fashion Merchandising

"You are successful the moment you start moving toward a worth while goal."

Joshua Cross
Criminal Justice

Kristen Csekovsky
Elementary Education

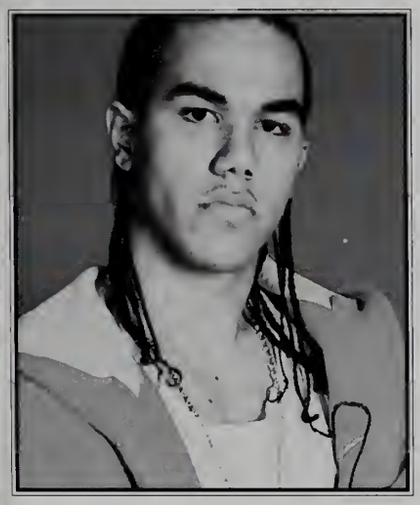
"There's nothing you can do that can't be done. Nothing you can sing that can't be sung. Nothing you can say but you can learn how to play the game. It's easy'. -John Lennon

Michelle Dalrymple
Marketing

Meghan Darragh
Fashion Production

A special thanks to my family & friends for their love & support throughout the years.

Wendi DeFilippo
Exercise Psychology



Eric De La Cruz
Humanities

"Keep it real or keep it movin."
These past 4 years been real. I've experienced everything from stressful exams and papers to life long friends and memories. I have failed, but was encouraged to endure. I've been stressed, but motivated to continue. Iíve been hurt to discover the reality of the truth in time and I've been talked about, but never figured out. However, the rotten taste of bad experiences has only added more potent ingredients to my personal recipe. I've learned survived, Good lookin - one.

Bobbie-Jo Dionne
ECE Pre K-2

"Never live life like you have a second chance. Always live it as your first."

Michael Donnelly
Sociology

Jessica Dovale
Hospitality & Tourism Administratio

Lauren Dufresne
Psychology

Jennifer Edwards
Fashion Production

Britney Falite
Elementary Education

"College was the first time in my life that I really lived, which means everything there is to follow can only get better."

My parents are my backbone, my friends are the muscle to keep me strong. Without either of the two, I'd fall over & I love all of them for that. Mom, Dad, Justin, Christopher, Michael & Bill, I love you!

Jayme Fleischer
Legal Studies

"Everytime you encounter a rock in your path you have a choice. You can either step over it, trip on it, or use it to build with."

The only person I am going to have to wake up everyday for the rest of my life is myself. Therefore, I did what I had to do to make it through college. Social life was and will always be second to my education.

Karina Fontanez
Fashion Production

" The heart afraid of breaking that never learns to dance. The dream afraid waking that never takes a chance. It's the one who won't be taken who cannot give and the soul afraid of dying that never learns to live."

To all who have encouraged me to live, dance, & take that chance!! Thank you!! "I did it"

Amanda Frenette
ECE Pre K-2

"I have come to believe that a great teacher is a great artist and that there are as few as there are any other artists. Teaching might even be the greatest of the arts since the medium is the human mind and spirit." John Steinbeck

Jennifer Furano
Day Care
Administration

Evelyn Garcia
Fashion Production

"When you give up on your dreams you die."

To the two "most" important people in my life Jazmin and Aaron, :
I could never have done it with out you guys. Thank you and I love you.

Laura Gaskell
ECE Pre K-2

"Hick-a-doola!"

Thanks Mom, Dad, Mandy, Doug, Meg, and Michael.
MAM 1999.
Love 2 my girls 4 the fun and drama. If you need me, I'll be in the Wu.

Micheline Geha
Management

Katie Gerrior
Special Education

Huascar Gomez
Hospitality & Tourism Administration

"If you are going through hell, keep going."
Sir Winston Churchill (1874-1965)

Take the road less traveled by and you shall succeed.

Shakisha Goodwin
International Business

"Live life gracefully, but increase your knowledge day by day."

I owe this to my mother for being there for me. Also I want to thank my son for being my inspiration. I would like to give thanks to all the true friends I've made at Lasell. I love yall. Holla ya Girl!!!

Jennifer Griffin
ECE Pre K-2

"We all take different paths in life, but no matter where we go, we take a little bit of each other."
I dedicate my hard work to my parents. I could not have done it without their love and support. You are the wind beneath my wings. I truly want to thank you for making my dreams come true! To my friends- my love and thanks. The memories will always be there. Jonathan- words can't explain it. Thanks for being there. I love you all!! Mission accomplished.

Denika Hash
Health Science

Katrina Hester
Day Care Administration

Yoko Himeno
Hospitality & Tourism Administration

Daniel Hogan
Management

Nicole Imbriano
Fashion Merchandising

"Don't walk behind me I may not lead. Don't walk in front of me. I may not follow. Just walk beside me and be my friend."

To my family. Thank you for all your support over the 4 years because of you I am the person I am today. I love you all. To my friends. The memories will live in my mind and heart always. Thanks for all you have done. Love you all so much.

Janet Jennings
Criminal Justice

Krystyna Johnson
Hospitality & Tourism Administration

"Did you see me broken? Bowed head and lowered eyes? Shoulders falling down like teardrops? Weakened by my soulful cries. Still I rise. "
- Maya Angelou
It's a miracle I made it! Thank you to the teachers & Res Life staff who helped me through a very difficult time. And the friendships I have gained ALL my many years here. RIP my sister...I love you. Love you Mommy & Daddy!

Elizabeth Kasa
Athletic Training

"Don't ever let life pass you by. Remember-Always shoot from the hip!"
Mom, Dad, Barbara and Justina, many thanks for all the support and love throughout all these years. I love ya! To my ladies: truly great friends are hard to find, difficult to leave & impossible to forget. You all kept me going with all the laughs, cries, & memories. B .W.- my nappy girl, C.C.- all our late nite cramming. LG., E.M., J.R., M.M., A.P., A.L.C., S.W., A.L., you guys are awesome and don't ever forget the Polish Princess!!!

Ryan Kelleher
Management

"I find that the harder I work, the more luck I have" - Thomas Jefferson

My experience at Lasell has been life changing due to the people that I have met on this ride. In the future, I hope that my fellow classmates cash in on their overdue success and recognition that was built from hard work and determination.
Good Luck to ALL 2003 Graduates. Go Yankees.

Annette Lafleur
Fashion Production

"Put something together that so unusual, so unexpected tha it blows people heads off! Something ahead of the time, steps ahead of what people ar thinking." - Michael Jackson

Here's to shopping in NYC, Fashion Week cocktail partie Polynesian drinks & the Foxy Lady with the best friends- R.O. & S.Y. After drafting 100's of 1/8 scale patterns & mastering, "By m eye"... I think we've done well! Till we meet again in Vogue! Thanks Mom & Dad.

Christopher Leger
Exercise Physiology

"When it's dark enough, you can see the stars!

Thanks for everything mom and dad, also to all my friends who were always there for me. Lisa, I love you!

Emily Lenz
Fashion Merchandising

Thank you to my family for everything that you do. I love you.

Anna Long
Athletic Training

"Let us not love with words or thought but with actions and in truth." 1 John 3:18

I just want to say thank you my mom & dad for being there and supporting me during these four years. And to my family I love you all very much. To my Friends Stephanie, Liz, Kathy, Bryan, Monica, Regina, Crystal, Reggie, Gabe, and Justin thank you for all the times you helped me throughout these years. I couldn't have done it without you guys. Good Luck to all!!

Lori-Beth Mabie
Criminal Justice

Thanks mom and dad for everything. You are the best. Love you always.
Thanks for all the good memories class of 2003. Congrats & Good Luck

Mark Marquart
Elementary Education

"There are no shortcuts to any place worth going."
-Lasell Lacrosse

Thank you mom, dad, Kristy, Jon, Grandma, Grandpa, & Uncle Art I love you. Mosca & Sean the best friends a guy can ask for. Jessie I will love you for the rest of my life. To the Richards Family I thank you for being so supportive.

Karley Mathieu
Psychology

"I can do all things through Christ that strengths me. "

I would like to thank God from whom all my blessings fall. Thank you to those who supported me! My mom & brother I love you guys very much. My family & friends, Winique, Medijena, V, CLC, NGC, Tonia, Jenn I love you guys.

Maura McCarthy
Fashion Merchandising

Tania McGarth
Special Education

David McInnis
Information Technology

"Live the moment."
Things never turn out the way that you think they will. So stop worrying!

Elisa McKernan
Psychology

"Thinking: the talking of the soul with itself." -Plato / "Is it worse to be powerless or to be the only one who can make a difference?" / "We are only bound by those things we refuse to let go, of ourselves; by casting the bonds of fear, hatred & jealousy to the winds, we free our souls & find peace."
Thank you to my family, we have gone through a lot. Thank you to my true friends, for you bring tears of happiness to my eyes, and I wouldn't have made it this far without you (you know what I mean). Lastly, all my LOVE to everyone in my life.

Patricia McPartland
Elementary Education

Carla Mercurio
Fashion Production

Lindsey Milheirao
Hospitality & Tourism Administration

A thread of purpose should run through our lives so that something of significance will link the years together."
- Stanley J. Weyman

Thanks to my family whose love, support and sacrifice has helped me get this far, and to my freinds who have been there since day one, I love you all.
We finally made it!

Laura Miller
Fashion Production

"Wherever you may be, it is your friends who make your world."

-I love you ALL

Kristine Mohan
Psychology

These past 5 years have been an experience that I'll never forget, from the times of Woodland to the times of suites, you could say were memorable.... To all my friends through the years thank you for giving me memories.

Nicole Mut
ECE Pre K-2

"I can't change the direction of the wind, but I can adjust my sails to always reach my destination."

I can't thank my parents enough, not only for their financial support but their love and dedication to stay strong and accomplish my goals and make my dreams come true!

Rebekah Olson
Fashion Production

"Such a long time to be gone and such a short time to be here." -Jerry Garcia

Lots of hard work for a day of shopping in NYC, A.L., S.Y., & T.S.! Fashion Week, always fun, from what I can remember. Thanks to my "Foxy Ladies", luv you both! Also Jill C., Mr. D, & Mrs. P for your inspiration. My parents, Sarah, Cole, Gram, & Papa for your love & support!

Junko Onishi
Daycare Administration

College life was the turning point and special time in my career. Many thanks for my friends, teachers and Barn staff's kindness.

Sandy Ortins
Legal Studies

Melissa Pante
Fashion Design & Production

"Beginnings are scary, endings are usually sad, but it's the middle that counts the most; remember that when you find yourself back at the beginning."
- Sandra Bullock

Mom, Dad, and Jenny thank you for all of your support and love. 2 lasting things you give your children, roots and wings. To my friends, you know who you are thanks for the memories that last a lifetime. We became closer in 4 years then most people ever become. Chris- I love you.

Chrystin Paradis
Exercise Physiology

Crystal Peters
Athletic Training

Christina Pin
Hospitality & Tourism Administration

Krystal Proctor
Fashion Merchandising

Thank you to everyone who has been so supportive through out this year. Mom, Christy, and Laura, I love you so much and thank you for everything. Christy you are my shining star.

Bedginald "Reggie" Rabel
Accounting

Kathryn Regan
Human Services

Jessie Richards
Elementary Education

Here's to the future...foget the past!

Thank you Mom, Dad, Ian and Mark I love you. Toall my sisters. To the Marquart family thank you. 653 forever I dedicate my future to Nonno who will be in my heart forever, you taught me to succeed.

Jamie Rodriguez
Exercise Physiology

Ami Ruehrwein
Fashion Design

"By my eye" - Clara Paratore
"The sound of a kiss is not so loud as a cannon, but it's echo lasts a great deal longer!"
To all the people who have helped me along the way I want to say thank you. I have a million memories from my days at Lasell and all who were a part of them. I hold a special place in my heart for you. I am going to miss all the fun times. To the class of 2003, best of luck in all your endeavors. Mom and Dad, thanks for everything. I am so lucky to have you, and I couldn't have asked for better parents. I love you.

Michele Scribner
Marketing

Chizuru Serita
Hotel, Travel & Tourism Administration

Monica Sheppard
Athletic Training

Karra Simons
ECE Pre K-2

"God, grant me the serenity to accept the things I cannot change, the courage to change the things I can, and the wisdom to know the difference."

Vanessa Solivan
Human Services

" I am an idealist. I don't know where I am going but I'm on my way."
- Carl Sandburg

Brynn St. Martin
Daycare Administration

"Let the best of your past be the worst of your future."

Ladies, remember that a best friend is a sister destiny forgot to give you. BUT-MIA

Jennifer Stanley
AKA "Jennie Sprinkles"
ECE Pre K-2

Nicole Sweeten
Accounting

Derek Tams
International Business

"Real reconize real!"

It's been a long journey filled with struggle and good times. Now it's time to venture into the real world. I hope it embraces me with open arms - I'm ready!

Steven Turbide
Management

Mika Watanabe
Business Administration

I could see how America was thanks to Lasell College.

Stephanie Williams
Athletic Training

Christen Wirtz
Elementary Education

"Everything is funny as long as it is happening to somebody else."
- Will Rogers

I know how often I took you both for granted when I was growing up. I just always knew you'd be there when I needed you and you always were. I never actually thought about what that meant until I got older and began to realize how often your time and energy were devoted to me. I remember the day you Dad, went out of your way to find things that I needed for my classroom. You really know your glue! Mom you were there every step of the way offering me support, praise and humor; through some difficult times.
Thank you, Mom and Dad-
I love you so very much.

Rebecca Woodrick
Elementary Education

Brooke Wyman
English/ History

"HOLLA! I hear everything but you'd never know it. So I guess we are who we are for a lot of reasons and maybe we'll never know most of them, but even if we don't have the power to choose where we came from we can still choose where we go from there. We can still do things and we can try to feel okay about them. SHALOM!"
Love to my family especially: mom, dad, gram and Heather (you're my reason to breathe) Cooper too. Thanks to my friends you fill my heart completely: LK, CC, VC, DP, DB, LW, CT, EB, SP, JC, JH, ALC, JR, EM, LG, MM Cathy (for helping me survive) and to those certain teachers who will never be appreciated enough.

Sara Young
Fashion Design

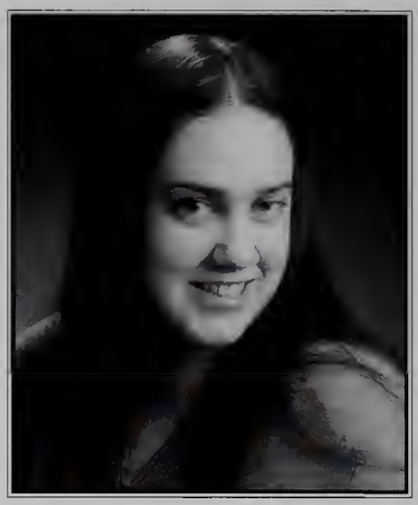
To my Foxy Ladys we shared a lot of good memories- Fashion Week, the nights that followed, memories from the year in the dorms and my roomates that shared it. Thanks to Mrs. P for all of the attention. Thanks for the memories I'll miss you.

Danielle Zacharek
Fashion
Merchandising

Caitlin Zmayefski
Fashion Design

"Remember no one can make you feel inferior without your consent."
- Eleanor Roosevelt

Thank you for your unconditional love, support and understanding. I love you Mom, Dad, Heather, Michael, Gram, Grandpa and to my extended family. VC, JL, MP, KF, AR, LM, EM: thank you for everything. SHMILY 12/6/01



Debra Zylinski
Travel & Tourism Administration

Seniors with Messages but no photo availble:

Bettina Casimir
Fashion Merchandising

"I'm free at Last."

Don't let any opportunity go by.

Daniel Edmonston
Criminal Justice

"Don't sit in the audience when you can be the show."

We as a class came far. But we are just beginning our success. Best of luck to all but especially those with me in CJ.

Nuno Oliveira
Exercise Physiology

"Umm, pretty much?!"

I would like to thank my parents, girlfriend, teaching staff, my friends (who literally, carried me through some semsters!) and of course, myself, for this prestigious award! Thank you!

Camera Shy Seniors!

Jacquelyn Alberino
ECE Pre K-2

Denise Civetti
Human Services

Erik Costin
Legal Studies

Jill Dionne
Elementary Ed

Donald Fenwick
Criminal Justice

Beverly Bryant
Psychology

Michael Conner
IDS/Elementary Ed

Danielle Cruz
Hospitality and Tourism Administration

Tina Doumas
Education

Liza Finch
Fashion Merchandising

Elizabeth Chominski
Legal Studies

David Cosgrove
Psychology

Elisha DeLuca
Management

Sophia Drake
Hospitality and Tourism Administration

Lindsay Fish
Psychology

Tara Floyd
Marketing

Regina Hayes
Athletic Training

Sonneva Jakab
Psychology

Courtney Kinmonth
ECE Pre K-2

Frantzces Lys
Psychology

Laurie Mazzarini
Early Education

Denika Nash
Health Science

Michael Norton
Management

Jessalyn Peterson
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Dean Scarsella
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Sylvia Guerrero
Fashion Production

Matthew Hutchinson
Exercise Physiology

George Kappas
International Business

Kristin Lally
Fashion Production

Antonia Mariani
Criminal Justice

Cyrina McDonald
Psychology

Douglas Newton
English/History

Katherine Parker
Marketing

Joseph Pirrone
Exercise Physiology

Jordan Scaccia
Criminal Justice

Hiromi Sekine
Early Childhood Education

Tara Spinney
Fashion Merchandising

Melissa Terefenko
Fashion Merchandising

Taeko Tsukahar
IDS

Karen Weaver
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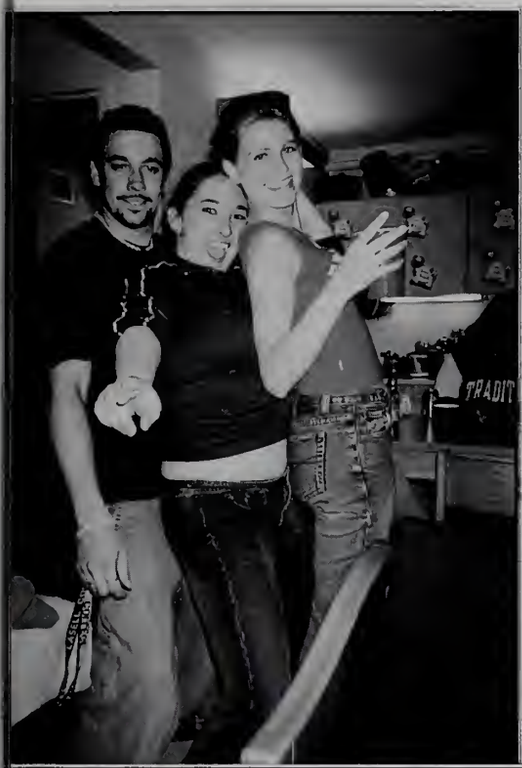
Congratulations Class of 2003 from The Lamp Staff

Senior Week Festivities and Commencement Snapshots: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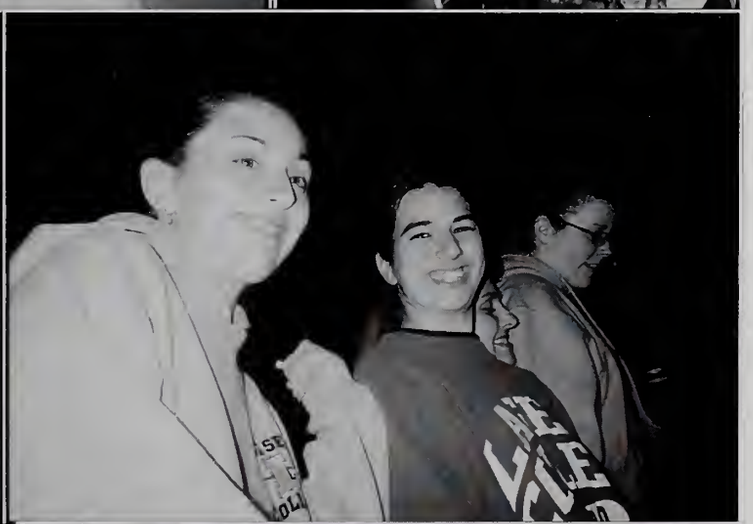

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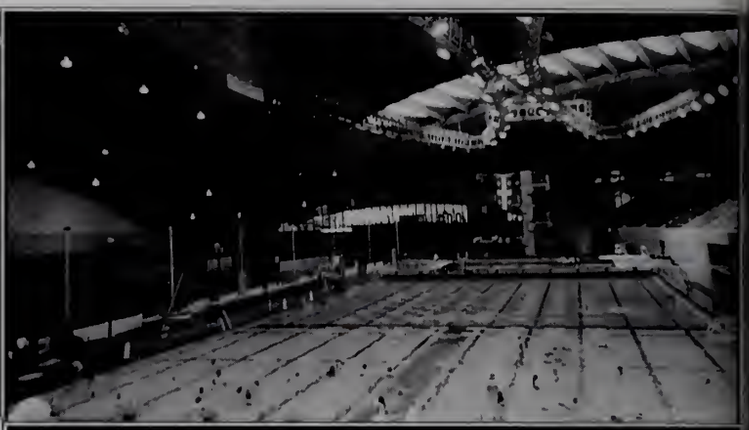

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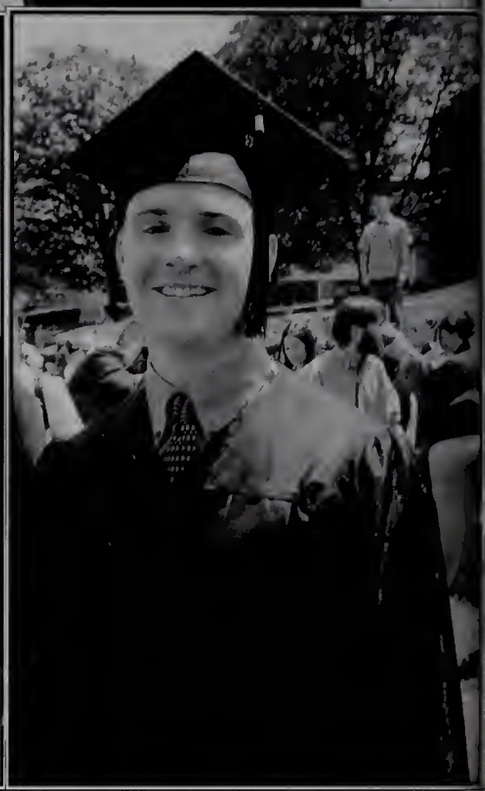

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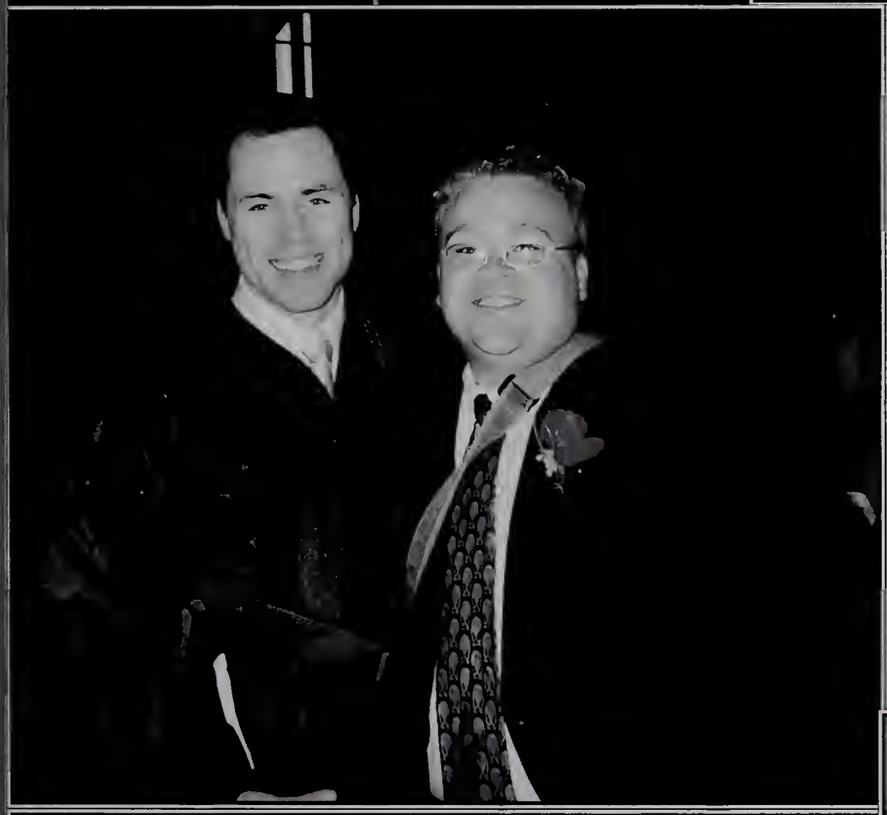

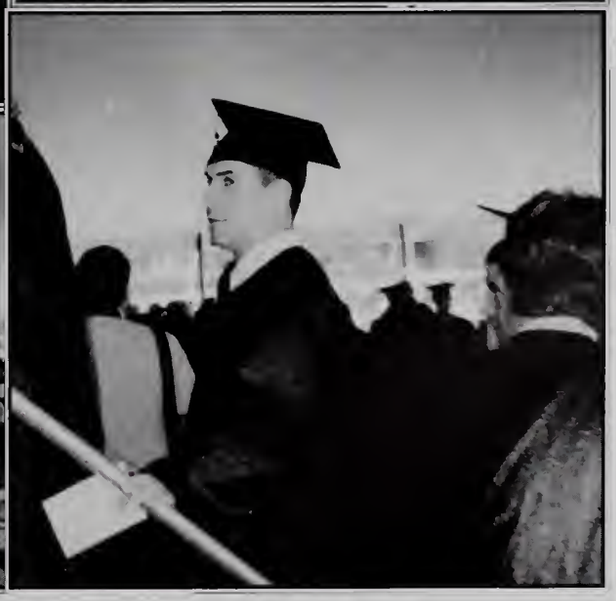

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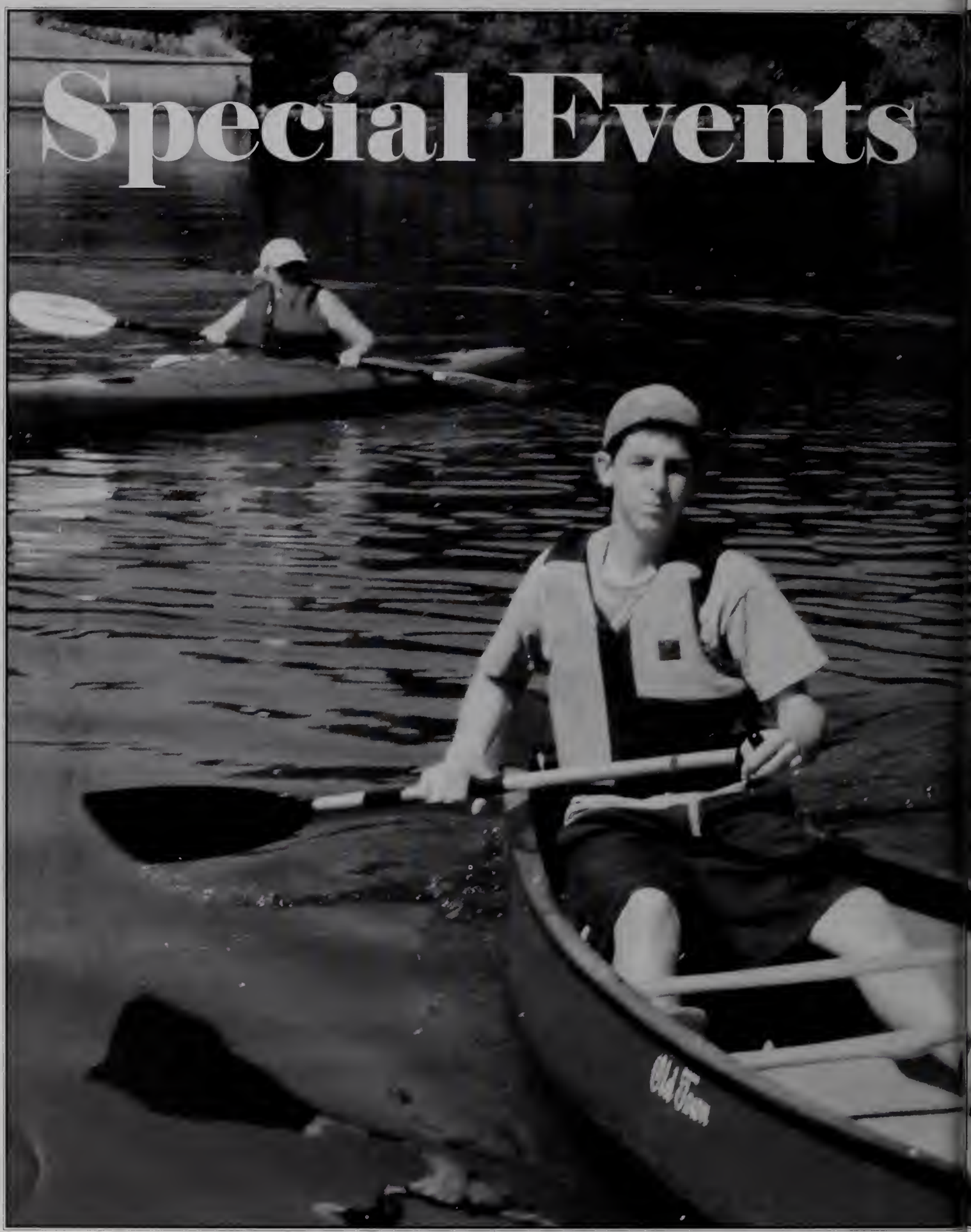

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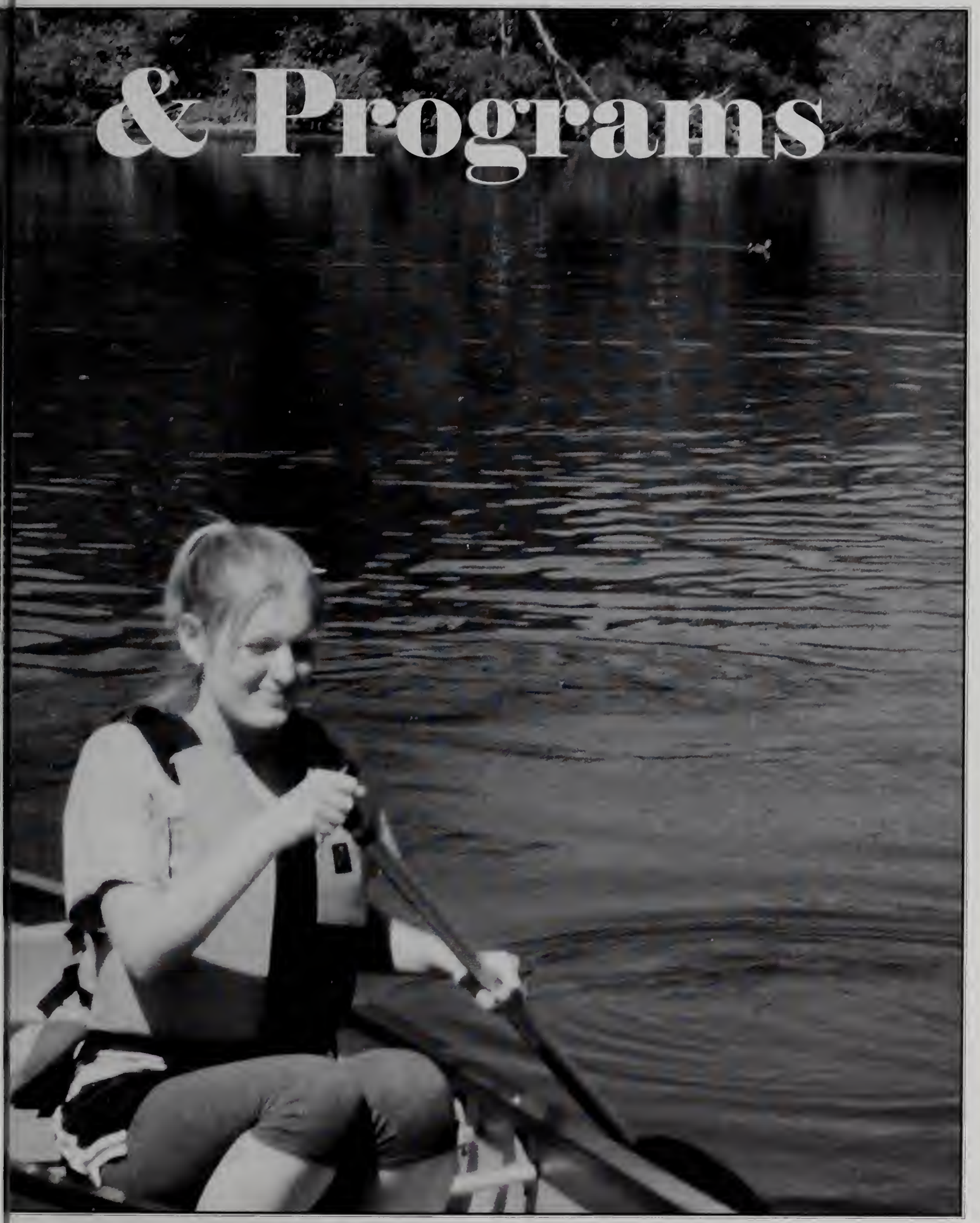

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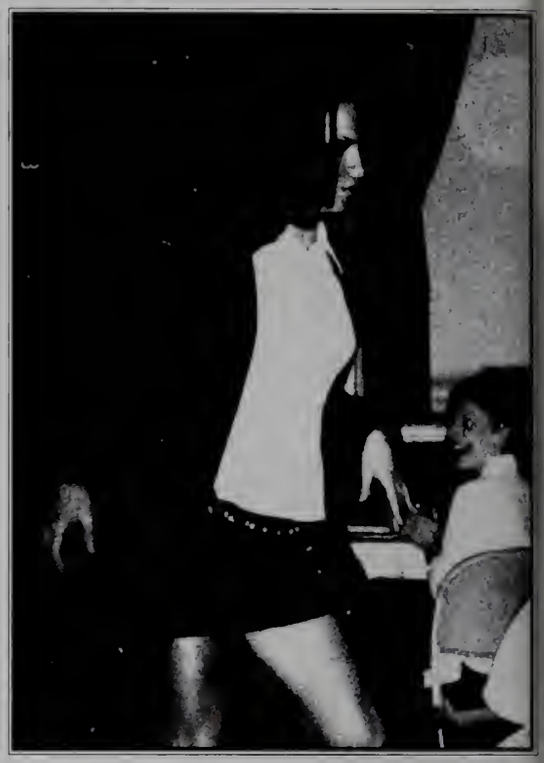
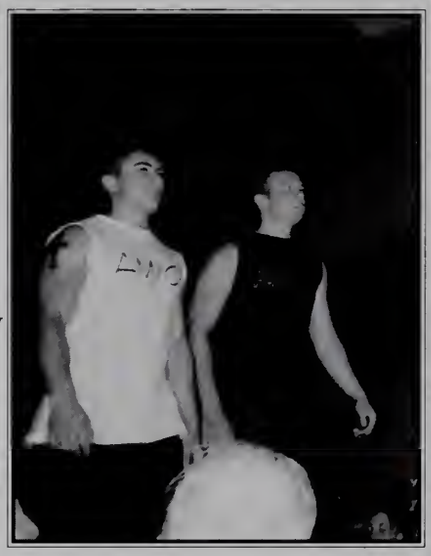
Spring Fest

Victor/Vita and Lauren are both Shakin what their mommas gave them at the 1st annual drag show!





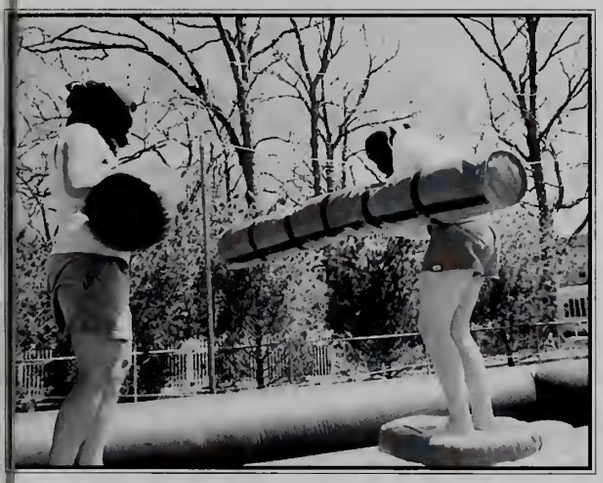
This year's senior fashion show offered a wide variety of creative collections.

Hey Wayne, that's not fair you big bully!

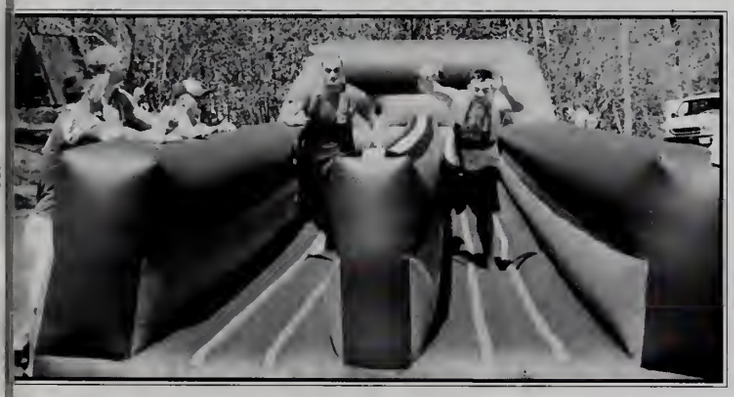
Ami and Kate prepare for battle!

Vannessa and Joe racing each other.

Here comes the food train!



Jousting anyone?



Keith and Tim going at it in the bungee race!

Who wants a Henna Tattoo?

2003 Awards Banquet

Lasell Bowl Winners:

Nikki Sweeten
Carla Mercurio
Tania Cirino
Wayne Kreis
Amy Pilat
Mike Conner
Mitch Philips
Alyssa Hein
Dave McInnis

Senior Chair:

Victor Cipolla

Dedication of the Yearbook : Elisa Scarsella

Student Organization of the Year for 2003:

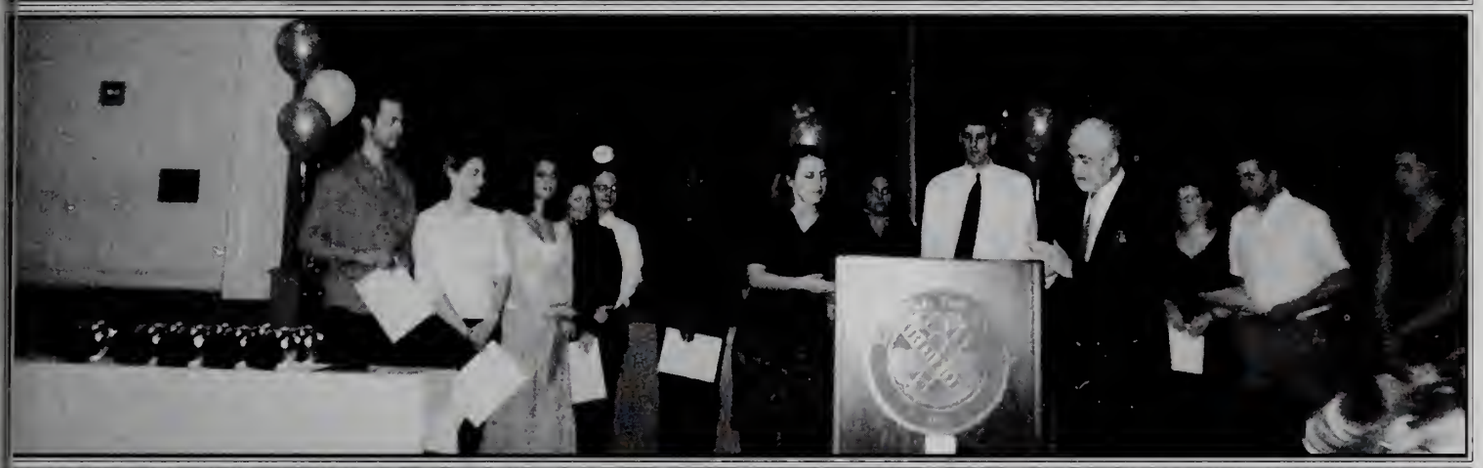
Student Government Association

Student Organization Leader of the Year:

Mitchell Phillips

Who's Who Among American Colleges and Universities Recipients

Victor Cipolla
Hillary Collins
Crystal Crafts
Wendi L. DeFilippo
Richard Dorval
Jennifer Edwards
Amanda Frenette
Brian Frail
Nedra Garriques
Alyssa Hein
Chris Hickey
Ryan Kelleher
Wayne Kreis
Sonja Landry
Tracey Maloney
Dave McInnis
Carla Mercurio
Nixa Peralta
Reggie Rabel
Ami Ruehrwein
Mary Pat Smyth
Vanessa Solivan
Nikki Sweeten
Yolanda Talbert
Caitlin Zmayefski



The Pre-Winter Solstice Party 12/13/02

Meredith, Wayne and Alyssa taking time-out to enjoy the night

Dave gives the thumbs up as Kristy Walter looks on

James and Troy enjoy the Party

Who let them in???

President de Witt relaxing

Alex, Mrs. Arnold and Crista working the coat check

Mitch, Anthony and Greg spinning the hits

Jim Ostrow making the cotton candy

The Girls playing B*I*N*G*O

What is he doing???

Enjoying the food

I see you

No one gets past us!

Lots of winners at this table!!

The PARTY GIRLS

Becky Kennedy and Janice Fletcher making popcorn

Center for Comm

They built houses?

The Center for Community-Based Learning provides support and opportunities for students, faculty, and staff to engage in community service in order to open academic learning; promote values of citizenship; provide practical, project-focused experience; and develop initiatives that make a direct and lasting contribution to local communities and society. In particular, the Center works with students and faculty to design and implement community service-learning projects as an integral component of the connected learning concept at Lasell College.

Students and faculty participate in a wide range of service programs including: tutoring programs in public schools, fundraising for shelters serving victims of domestic violence, volunteering for tax return assistance,working with organizations providing internet service for urban communities, and repairing low income homes in Appalachia

America Reads Tutors - December 2002

The Girls picking up trash during First Year Orientation

MacArthur Elementary Tutors - Fall 2002

The Centers Trick or Treat for Canned Goods Party.

unity Based Learning

Steve, Mary, Colleen, Jessica, Liz and Lindsay working hard.

Center stars...Cat, Victor and Diane

Cleaning up the Charles River.

Center for Community-Based Learning

The mission of the **Center for Community-Based Learning (CCBL)** is to foster civic engagement, social justice, and leadership in the greater community. Supporting this mission, CCBL helps students access diverse volunteer opportunities and works with faculty to implement service-learning. During academic year 2003, CCBL will provide literacy tutoring to public school children through an America Reads program, host one-time service events (such as can drives, a giving tree), facilitate student leadership training, and organize an alternative break. CCBL also supports the activities of the Community Service house, a service-themed Lasell residence hall as well as the Community Service and Arnow Scholarship students.

Student who wishes to learn more about the Center are encourgaged to call or stop by. The center is now located in the Plummer House.

FIRST YEAR SEMINAR

The first year seminar course is offered to first time college students. This course is taught by a full time faculty or staff member and an upperclass undergraduate Lasell student. The freshmen learned about how to handle different aspects of being a student here at Lasell College. FYS students talked about anything and everything from time management to alcohol awareness. Most students say that this course was beneficial towards their education and success during college.

Here's a first year seminar student who is excited to go to class!

A bunch of first year seminar students pitching in to help out during the Halloween Safe Party.

First year seminar students and their student co-facilitator posing for the camera.

Anne-Marie Kenney hard at work preparing for her class.

Ben singing for his FYS classmates!

RESIDENTIAL LIFE ...

RA STAFF

Is that really Crystal and Victor?

Unsupervised R.A. meeting in Woodland...Yes! Those are smiles

Mary-Pat in Saunders

Jason & Hillary at a BACHA Conference

Reggie hangin' in Student Affairs

Caught ya Wayne!!!

Tiziana...pretending to work in admissions..

Chantel at a Woodland sub party.

Emily...Pretty in Pink.

Troy standing in his doorway

As you can see the RA staff is not only busy with their day-to-day duties, but also with many activities and organizations around campus. Some are so busy that they are not even here. Where are those long lost RAs? Reward: $500 if found!

Simon loungin' in the cafe...Hey Boo-Boo!

Oral, posing for the cam.

Natalie...aren't you just the cutest?

Victor and Yolanda at the RA Holiday Dinner

Hillary & Laura cutting subs

Susannah in the Cafe having lunch

Nixa & Crista at the Info. desk

FOREST SUITES

The Suites, once called "the old suites" by many students finally started being referred to by its given name...THE FOREST SUITES! An entire new staff came on board for 2002-2003. Brain Hughes was named the new RD with a veteran RA moving to the third floor and two new RA's took the second and first floor posts. Highlights of the year included various parties during Christmas, Springfest and Halloween.

Here comes Trouble...with a capital T

A Forest Study Group....yeah RIGHT

Keith and JD doing dishes!

Snowy Thanksgiving Morning 2002: Forest Suites

Lindsay and Kadie....in true fashion- laying around doing nothing

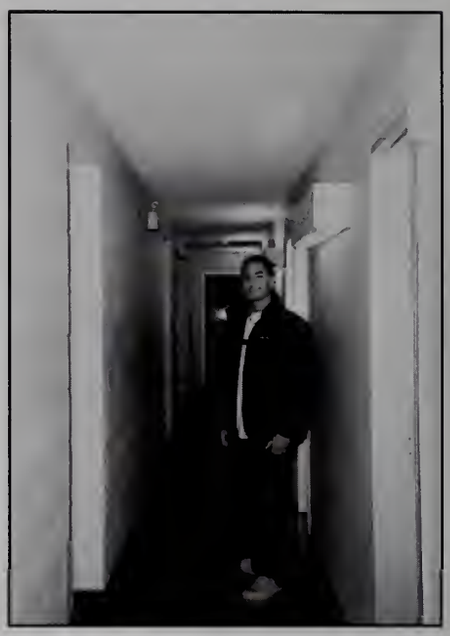
"Come up and see me sometime"

John....the host with the most

Jamie hard at work...playing his new game

McCLELLAND

"OK...give me back the remote"



Who....ME!!!

"They better be signed in!"
-J. Love

"Do you think this matches?"

McClelland Hall Blueprints 1960's

McClelland Hall: Built in the 1960's McClelland was named after the popular gym teacher "Miss Mac", who or her devotion to Lasell was often called "The Queen of Lasell." When enrollment was low here at Lasell, McClelland was rented to Boston College for housing graduate students. The name McClelland, was given after the old Woodland Park Hotel Casino was destroyed.

McClelland Thanksgiving Morning: 2002

Muriel McClelland (Miss Mac) and Earl Ordway...crew coaches

Ace 'flashin the cash'

Heather and Erin laughing it up

Lisa and Friends taking a break

The Van Winkle Girls

VAN WINKLE

RA Crista...chillin

Built in 1967 Van Winkle is the largest all female residence hall on campus . It was called "New Dorm" for many years, but in the 1990's due to a gracious donation from Adelaide Shaffer Van Winkle '36 and her husband the building was named Van Winkle Hall.

Working in the lobby

Van Winkle 1968

Van Winkle 2003

Smile

Our great RD, Jamica Love

Hi!....Beata

Woodland

Woodland Hall in the 1950's

Woodland Hall 2002

Erica...smile

Woodland Hall was built in 1950 on the Gardner Lot. It replaced Woodland Park Hall, the tennis court, and the Gardner Barn. Woodland Hall became the center of campus, instead of Bragdon Hall, which was built for students to "hang out". Woodland was built mainly for 1st year students, and is the main housing for 1st years today. It is also the most populous residence hall at Lasell College.

Huddling on the couch

"Leave me ALONE!!!"

Woodland crew hanging out at the sub party!

Hey Buddy

Please....I am trying to work

"THE WOOD"

Keever

Above: Keever in 1930's
Below: Keever in 2003

Brynn and Jeff showing the love in the house.

Keever, acquired by Lasell in 1968 and used as a residential hall. This house was originally the home of Dr. Henry F. Keever, physician and trustee of Lasell for many years.

Smile for the Camera ladies.

CARPENTER

Named after Caroline A. Carpenter, was Assistant Principle. This house was built in the 1800's and bought in 1908. In 1918 Carpenter was used by the Newton Hospital for the flu epidemic of 1918.

(Above) Carpenter in 1920 and (below) in 2002.

Above: RA Victor Cipolla getting ready for the holiday decorating contest. Below: Carpenter girls staying warm in this cold weather.

Caroline A. Carpenter

Haskell residents wrapping Christmas gifts

Underneath the mistletoe

The Crew 2002

Haskell 2003

Haskell 1961

Haskell House was purchased in 1945 from Margaret Haskell, sister of Martha Haskell Clark '05. It was first used as a residence for staff, and then as administrative offices, in 1972, including the President's office.

HASKELL

Gardner House

Purchased in 1912 Gardner is named after Elizabeth Abijah Gardner, who was one of Lasell's most distinguished graduates. She graduated in 1856 and traveled to Paris to study art. She was also the first American woman artist to receive the medal of the Paris Salon. Her painting "The Judgment of Paris" once hung in the Brennan Library and now is displayed in Yamawaki Auditorium.

Gardner Hall in 2002.

Meghan Callahan and Holeigh Filkins hanging out in the lounge.

Gardner Hall in 1943

Ashley and Danielle Gardner Girls.

Katie Ofria jumping out of her present.

SPENCE HOUSE

Spence, originally known as the Vista Ave. House, was formerly owned by Dr. Guy M. Winslow and later owned by Mrs. Ruth Lindquist. The house was purchased by Lasell College in 1969, at which time it became a residence hall.

Spence Hall in 1969

Yes...we are studying!!

Doing fashion homework in the lounge

On the move

cASe

Case House was built at the turn of the century.

Case House in the 1950's.

Case House in 2002.

Formerly the Nason house, Case house was originally named after Mr. Nason who was a "corky problem" to the school. As history tells us Mr. Nason would stand on his front lawn with a water hose on the night of the torchlight parade to keep people off his lawn. When the house was purchased by the institution it became a residential hall for faculty. Then in the 1980's it became the Women's Center for Continuing Education. When the program was discontinued the house was named after the Alumna Julia Case.

Some of the Case House ladies posing for the camera.

Bought in 1938 Cushing was named after Rev. Charles W. Cushing, Lasell's Principal in 1864-1874.

CUSHING

Cushing in 1919.

Cushing in 2003.

Katlyn walking back to her house to warm up.

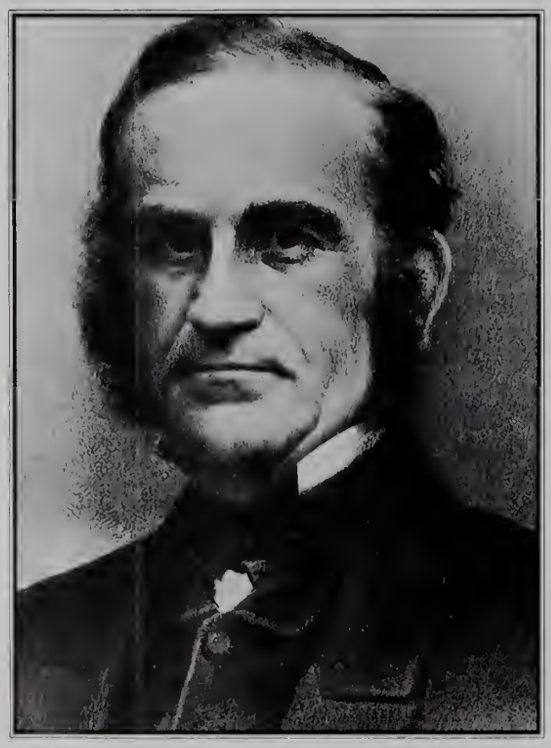
RA Yolanda with her residents Renee and Lindsey.

BRIGGS

Briggs House, which is located on Maple Terrace, was purchased in 1938 by Lasell College. It was named to honor George W. Briggs, the brother-in-law to Edward Lasell. The Briggs House was first used as a residential house, but in later years it was rented out by the college as a private residence. In the most recent years Briggs House is once again being used as a residential house.

Briggs House - 2003

Briggs House - 1945



George W. Briggs

Briggs House - 1960

Mott

Mott 1900

Mott 2003

Mott House formerly known as Berkely House was purchased by Lasell College in 1916. At first the house served as a residence hall, but later it became the home of Mr. Walter R. Amesbury the Treasurer of Lasell. In following years it was named in honor of Ruth Rawlings Mott'21, an alumni and benefactor of Lasell College. The house was used as staff housing and has since returned to a student residence hall.

'Hurry and take the picture!"

"Just hanging out in my room."

"I have a lot of work to do."

HOLT

New dorm on Eager estate, next to Eager House. It was named for decreased trustee D. Lynn Kiefer Holt '61 who made a bequest of $1,000,000 restricted to endowment May 20, 2002.

Caitlin Dahms calls her RD, Emily Kasper for advice.

Carissa Browne and Cynthia Mejias are smiling away!

ORDWAY

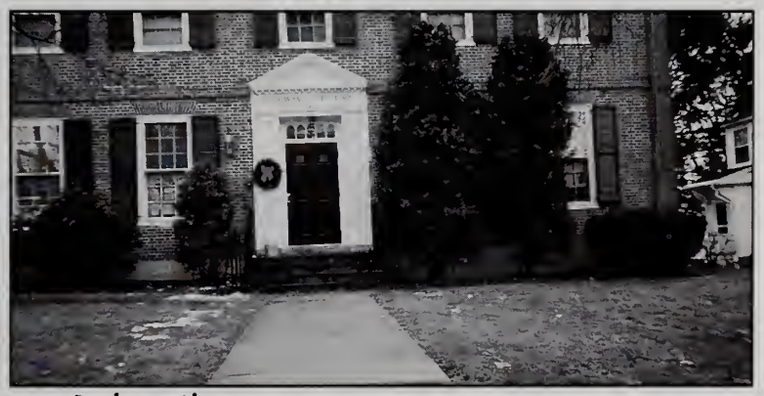
Ordway was built in 1959, in a modified Williamsburg style. It was named for Mr. Earl H. Ordway, teacher and supervisor of buildings and grounds. It currently houses 25 students.

Muriel McClelland and Earl H. Ordway

Ordway House 1966

Julie and Rose clowning it up!

Studying hard for Psychology 101



Ordway House 2002

Seminary Suites

The Seminary Suites going up in 2001

Seminary RD Emily Kasper...Always working hard.

HEY!

Built in 2002, the Seminary Suites are located on what was once called "The Deer House Hill". This was named for a small house owned by Dr. Bragdon that had been built for two deers that lived on the top of the hill. Rumor is that one deer ran away and the other became lunch! The hill where the suites now sit was also once a teeing spot for the college golf course.

The Seminary Suites on a snowy afternoon in December 2002

All bundled up...leaving Seminary and facing the cold

"Are we not the cutest?"

Betsy is working hard on her homework.

Dan Hogan is posing for the camera.

Hoag 1940s'

HOAG

In the early nineteen hundreds Hoag House was the home of Dr. Francis N. Peloubet. In the 1950's the Peloubet's home was purchased by Lasell and for many years was the home of Robert Brandriff, chairman of the English Department. After the retirement of a long time English Teacher, Eleanor Hoag, the house was turned into a residence hall for students and named in her honor.

Hoag 2002-2003

"Studying hard for my test."

Saunders

1966

2002

saunders

Seniors reflecting

Saunders, originally known as the Converse House was bought in 1958. The previous owner, Mr. Converse was a bridge-builder and lived with his wife and her sister. The house became Saunders when trustee Helen Saunders' generous estate left money to Lasell.

Helen M. Saunders

A little loving

Saunders Girls 2002

Chandler

Chandler House was bought in 1939 from Willis K. Chandler. Willis was a neighbor of the school and a long-time friend. Chandler is a Coeducational house, housing 13 students.

Chandler House in 1930.

Greg and Anwar talking

Ami at a Coffee House.

Krystyna gets a hug from her resident Brynn.

Stern, Greg, and Anwar all studying, from the same book.

PICKARD

Pickard House was originally part of the Pickard Estate. The house has served the Newton community and the college in a variety of ways. The house at one time had been rented to the Clarke School for Deaf Children. It has also served as a residence hall for single mothers with children to study the "Child Training Program" at the Barn. It has since been used as a residence hall for students.

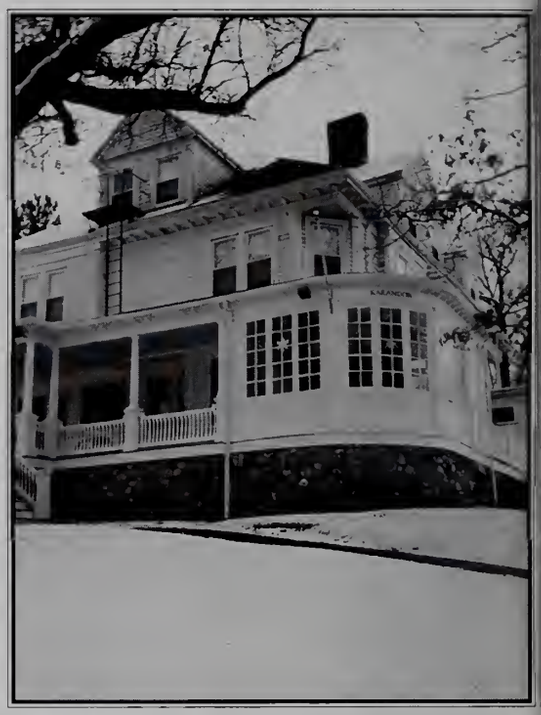
Pickard 1950's

Pickard 2002

KARANDON

This large house, located across from the Seminary Suites was built in 1893. It is the only house that was actually built by the school. The house was built for Dr. Bragdon, however, he never lived in the house. It became the first senior residential hall. In 1904 Dr. Guy Winslow and his wife moved into the first floor of the house. They served as supervisors for the senior girls. In 1908 Dr. Winslow purchased the seminary from Dr. Bragdon. Dr. Winslow and his family then took over the entire house. When Dr. Winslow retired in 1947, the new President of Lasell, Dr. Wass and his family moved into the house. When Dr. Wass moved out of the house, it returned to student housing which is the current usage of Karandon House.

Karandon House 1915



Karandon House 2002

Can you come back...I am on the phone

Laura chatting with Meredith her visitor

Bragdon Hall : Lives on in 2003

Bragdon Hall has been a name that holds dear memories for many former Lasell students. The original Bragdon Hall also known as Cushman Hall for a period of time, was built in 1851. It housed the entire school. The structure was so large that from the lookout on the roof one could see Boston and many surrounding towns. The original building housed classrooms, offices, library, a chapel, student rooms, a large kitchen and a dining hall. In 1881 what was known as the East Wing was added along with an entire floor. In 1884 an enclosed bridge was built connecting the main building to Carter Hall, which held a chapel, a pool and the gymnasium. Unfortunately, in 1972 the building was torn down and the heart of Lasell College was gone. In 2002 the Board of Trustees gave the school permission to start construction on the NEW BRAGDON. This new building will be suite style rooms, but will never be able to compete with the beautiful original Bragdon Hall.

The earliest known picture of Bragdon...taken around 1880

2002: The Crane

The new Bragdon structure poles in place

Building the new driveway for Bradgon

faculty and staff....

Dr. Thomas E. J. de Witt
President

Margaretta Arnold
Executive Assistant

Elizabeth Winter
VP of Business and Finance

Dr. Paula Panchuck
Dean of Lasell Village

Diane Austin
Dean of Student Affairs

Brewer Doran
Associate Dean of Business
and Information Technology

Elisa Scarsella
Administrastive Assistant for
Student Affairs

Kristy Walter
Director of Athletics

Anne-Marie Kenney
Director of Student Activities
and Orientation

Dr. Tessa LeRoux
Director of the Donahue Institute

Karen Gill
Director of Alumni Affairs

Janice Fletcher
Director of the Counseling Center

Ann Sherman
Director of Health Services

Marie Smith
Director of Career Services

Rosalie "Ro" Frolick
Director of the Learning Center

Dianna Crescitelli
Director of Residential Life

Cathy Black
Director of Campaign
and Gift Planning

Gloria Mead
Coordinator for Allied Health
and Sports Studies

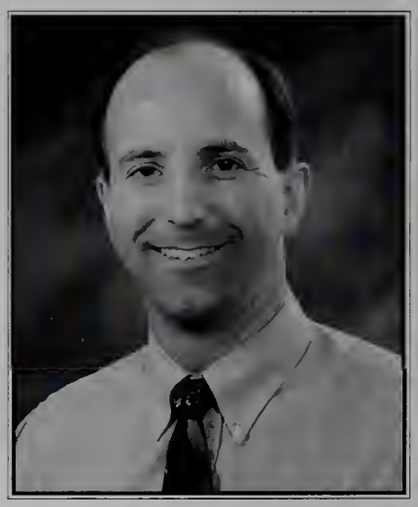
Robin Smedick
Assistant Director of Residential Life and Resident Director

Jamica Love
Assistant Director of Student Activities and Resident Director

Brian Hughes
Resident Director

Mara Green
Clinical Counselor

Chris Harvey
Assistant Professor



Bill Nowlan
Assistant Professor

Nancy Waldron
Assistant Professor

Diane Donatio
Assistant Professor

Richard Dodds
Assistant Professor

Jeffery Corcoran
Assistant Professor

Helen Alcala
Associate Professor

Malini Pillai
Associate Professor

Other Faculty/Staff Caught on Campus:

Maria Pappas
Adjunct Faculty

Molly DeStafney
VISTA

Dan Bielenin
Adjunct Faculty

Emily Kasper
Assistant Director of Career Services
and Resident Director

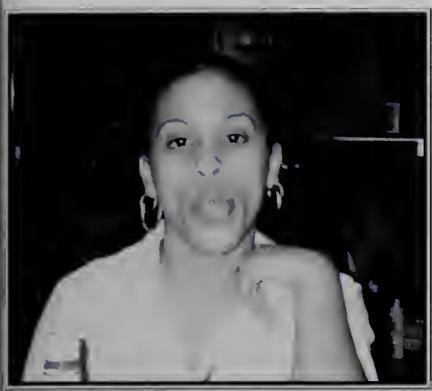
Jamie Conley
Resident Director

We are Lasell...

NAVY

Check out the crazy action around Lasell College....

If they only knew their picture would end up here!!!



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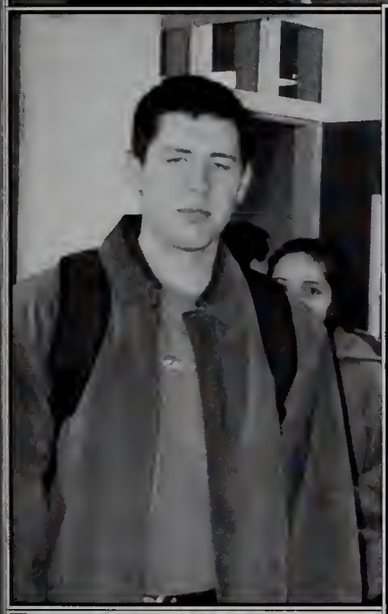
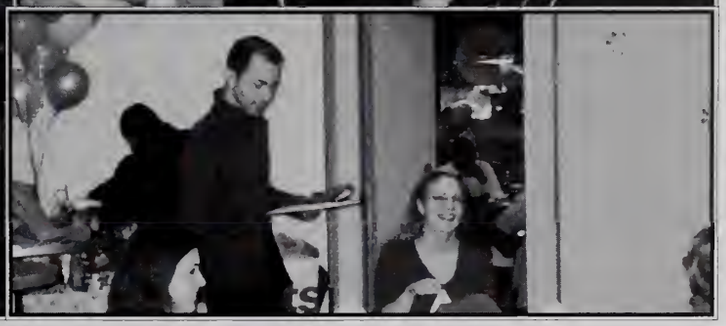




Sing it girls.

Getting some grub at the Woodland cookout.

Showing ATTITUDE!!!

Does it really take two people to run the info desk?

Waiting for class outside Winslow.

Kelly monkeying around.

Renee typing away.

Just us girls.

Showing those pearly whites.

What are you two up to?

Keep shoveling Ryan.

Jason getting ready to eat lunch.

A productive SGA meeting.

Say "Cheese!"

Taking a break in Students Affairs

Work or play Nixa?

Amy with a Y and Ami with a I.

Find anything good up there Julie?

Say cheese!

Aren't we the cutest?

What's funny Jeff?

LASEL

Dean Austin joins a table of students at the Winter Pre-Solstice Party

The Sonny and Cher of Forest Suites

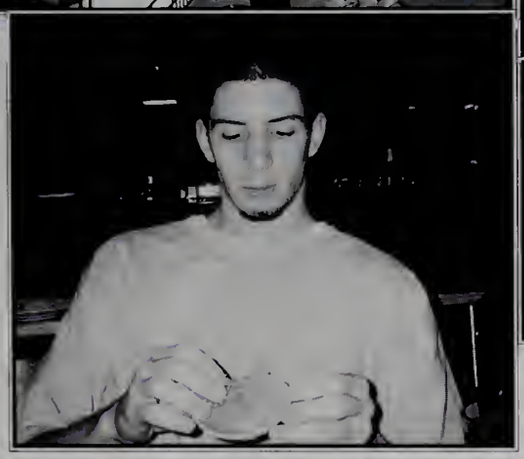
River Day 2002,

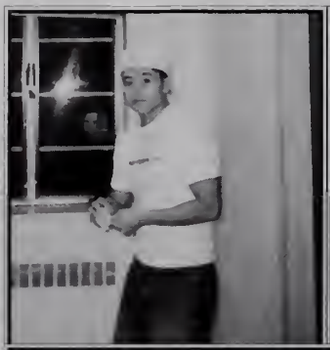
Everyone enjoying a CAB Coffee House

Working the desk at Midnight Madness

And a one and a two and a one and a two

Hey Jen...look over here!





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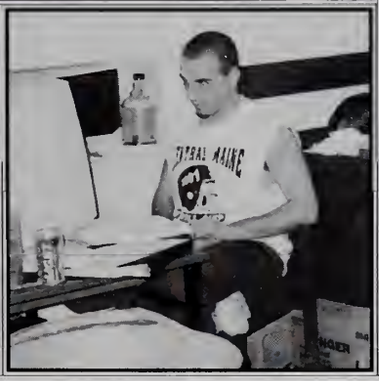


Ami, when you were little, we taught you to take baby steps.
As you grew your steps got bigger. Now you have grown into a
beautiful young woman, one any parent would be proud of.
May your steps always take you in a direction that makes you happy.

We love you, Mom, Dad and Diamond too.

Jack Penn once said, **"One of the secrets of life is to make stepping-stones out of stumbling blocks"**.

Mark, we know how hard you've worked and how far you've come. We are all so very proud of you, and we love you very much. Follow your dreams - we will be beside you wherever life takes you!

Love, Mom, Dad, Kristy, & Jon

Mike, congratulations on a job well done. We are so proud of your accomplishments and know that many more are about to happen. Best of luck in the future, we know how hard you want to succeed in everything you do. Work as hard as you have so far and the world will be yours.

Love - Mom, Dad,
Shawn and Brian

May the commitment and dedication you've displayed this far in your life become the stepping stone to all your future endeavors - Congratulations!

Best Wishes Forever -
Daddy, Mommy and all the others

You set your goals and followed through, and a whole new world is here for you. Follow your heart, do your best and the future will bring you happiness. We are so proud and love you more than words can say.

Mom, Dad, and Tiara xxoo

Congratulations "SUNSHINE", you keep amazing us with your growth and accomplishments.

- Love Mom and Dad

Thank you for sharing so much of your life with me. So many wonderful memories!

- Love - Aunt Karen

Dear Theresa,
It seems like only yesterday that you were our little girl and now you are graduating from Lasell College. Congratulations on your excitement to venture out into the world on your own and accomplish all you have. May God continue to bless you and show you how you can use the knowledge and talents you have gained for the good of others.

Love, Mom and Dad

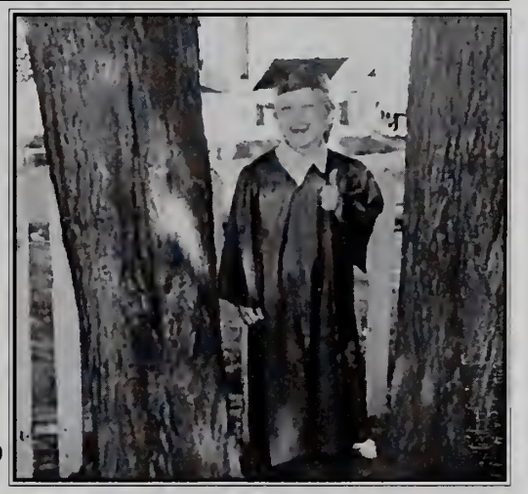
We are so proud of the woman you have become. May you always be successful. You are our heart. We love you.

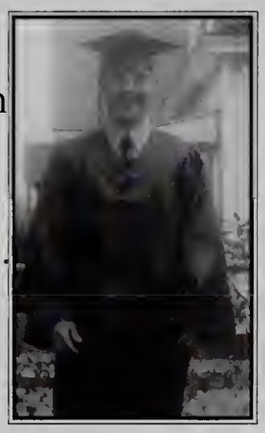
Mom and Dad

Bryan, now that your college years are ending, the rest of your life is just beginning. You have always accomplished your goals and we are so proud of you! Congratulations! Love - Mom and Dad

Don,
Your graduation is one more accomplishment to add to a long list of achievements. From school to sports you have always made me so proud. I hope you are as pleased with yourself as I am. Don't stop here, continue to climb the ladder of success until you reach the very top. You can and will be anything you want to be. I couldn't ask for a better son. Thank you. I love you!

Love Mom xo





Caitlin, You have grown into a beautiful young woman. We are very proud of you. Reach for the stars and follow your dreams.

Love from your
Whole Family

To : Daniel J. Hogan
Congratulations and best wishes to Dan and the class of 2003.

Love Mom and Dad

Another stepping stone in your exciting journey. We're so proud of you. Congratulations!

Love-
Mom, Dad,
Zachary & Ty

Tania - Congratulations! We are so proud of you

Love Mom and Dad

You've come a long way baby!

Congratulations Victor! We are so proud of your accomplishments. We know you will always be a success in all that you do. Always be you and your goals will be achieved.

With all of our love-
Mom, Dad, Rosario, James, and Kristen

Way to go Amy! We knew you could do it. Good luck with the valuable degree you have worked so hard to achieve. With your sense of humor and vibrant personality you will do great. We couldn't be more proud of you.
We love you!

Mom, Dad, Molly and Garrett

I knew, the day you took your first steps you would go far in life. And even though you have done so much you still continue to amaze me.
Your proud family -
Bob, Mom, Bensen,
and Mikey

The whole Ross and Dalrymple Families wish you the best in all your endeavors after graduation.

Love -
Mommy, Daddy
& Melissa

Rebekah, We are proud of you beyond words. Your hard work, your dedication, your achievements and a passion for what you love will help to fulfill your dreams. Continue to believe in yourself and success will be close at hand.

Love Mom and Dad

Elizabeth- You did it! We are so very proud of you! Another giant step achieved. Best of luck in grad school. Keep reaching for those stars, Becka.
Love- Mom, Dad, Barbara, Justina & Chloe

Melissa Terefenko -
No words could ever express how proud I am of you. You are a very special daughter and friend. I know you will succeed in all your endeavors because with your fortitude there is no obstacle you cannot overcome. I only wish your grandparents were here to share this day with you. They'd have been so proud of you.
Love- Mom

Chris, Congratulations on your achievements "2003". - Love Mom and Dad

Crystal Peters,
We all could not be more proud of you.
Love:
Mom, Chris, and David

To our beautiful Jessalyn,
We can't believe this day is here already. We're so very proud of you and we love you with all our hearts.

Congratulations - Mom and Dad

The Alumni Association of Lasell College welcomes our 2003 graduates. CONGRATULATIONS !

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Brynn -
You have brought joy to us all. We are SO PROUD of you!

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Mom, Dad,
Shane and Devon

Brynn St. Martin
Class of 2003

The LAMP Editors Special Note:

This has been a year that we will never forget. It has been a year of great growth for Lasell, for the yearbook and for each of us. We have worked long hours and given a great deal of our time in preparing a yearbook that we feel is worthy of the Class of 2003.

We would like to thank our staff (Jessica, Troy and Ami) for their hard work and dedication to this awesome publication. We are so proud of each of you. We have to say good-bye to one of our own this year - Ami we love you and wish you the very best that life has to offer...you deserve it!

We would like to thank our advisor, Jamica Love, for all her hard work (meeting with Dick and Mary, staff meetings, ENDLESS AMOUNTS OF PHONE MESSAGES and igniting the fires beneath us) in helping us develop as individuals and as a staff this year. Thank you from the bottom of our hearts.

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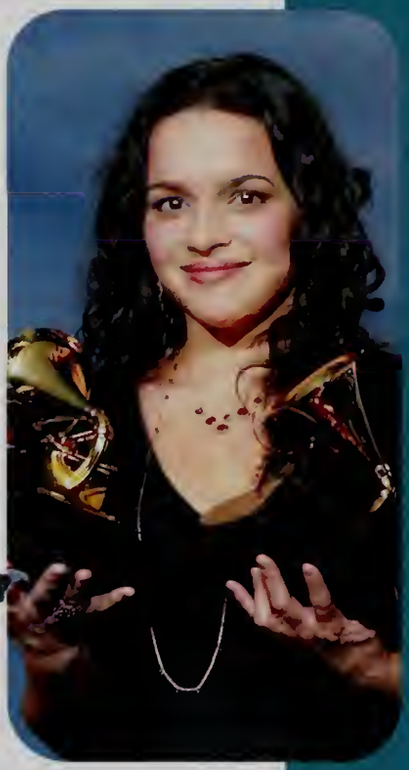


2002-2003

WORLD YEARBOOK

HERFF JONES

Upon re-entry into Earth's atmosphere, NASA's space shuttle Columbia loses contact with Mission Control in Houston and breaks apart in the skies over Texas. A crew of seven astronauts, including the first Israeli in space, perished.

Bahamian oil tanker "Prestige," carrying 20 million gallons of oil, sinks off the coast of Spain. Nearly 2.6 million gallons of oil polluted the coast.

Because of improper accounting and a debt load of $41 billion, WorldCom files for Chapter 11 bankruptcy protection, the largest in U.S. history.

Police Chief Charles Moose arrests two snipers that terrorized the Washington, D.C. area.

WORLD EVENTS

Rep. Nancy Pelosi becomes the first woman party leader in the House or Senate.

FBI agent Robert Hanssen receives life without parole for selling secrets to Russia.

Minnesota's Democratic Sen. Paul Wellstone is killed in a plane crash.

An earthquake measuring 7.8 magnitude rocks Colima, Mexico. Iran and Italy experienced major quakes measuring 6.3 and 5.9.

A $4 billion annual loss causes US Airways to file for Chapter 11 bankruptcy.

Hewlett-Packard and Compaq merge to create an $87 billion global technology company.

AOL Time Warner's $54.2 billion quarterly loss is the largest in U.S. history.

U.S. President George W. Bush and Russian President Vladimir Putin sign an historic arms treaty calling for a two-thirds reduction of nuclear warheads.

Rilya Wilson is missing for 13 months before Florida's child welfare realizes it.

Former U.S. President Jimmy Carter is awarded the 2002 Nobel Peace Prize.

Luke John Helder is arrested for planting 18 pipe bombs in mailboxes.

Nine miners are rescued from a flooded Pennsylvania coal mine after being trapped for more than three days. The entrapment occurred after the miners accidentally broke through to an adjacent, abandoned mine containing more than 50 million gallons of water.

Torrential rainfalls cause major flooding in Prague, Beijing and Lucknow, India.

UCLA doctors separate Guatemalan conjoined twins in a landmark surgery that lasts more than 24 hours. The twins returned home after a five-month recovery.

The new architectural design for the World Trade Center site features a memorial to the Sept. 11 victims and a 1,776 foot tower, making it the world's tallest building.

Chechen rebels hold 800 people hostage in a Moscow theater. More than 100 died after inhaling gas used to end the siege.

Longtime Forest Service employee Terry Barton is charged with setting the largest fire in Colorado's history.

Athina Onassis Roussel inherits $1 billion on her 18th birthday.

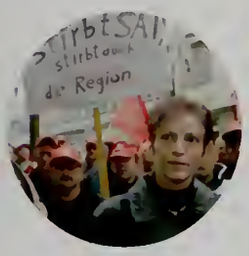
Actor Robert Blake is arrested for the murder of his wife.

Elizabeth Smart is nabbed at gunpoint from her Salt Lake City home.

Bill Gates testifies for the first time in Microsoft's four-year antitrust trial.

The remains of intern Chandra Levy are found in a Washington, D.C. park.

McDonald's posts the first-ever quarterly loss in its 47-year history.



Germany's unemployment rate rises to a five-year high of 4.623 million.

England celebrates Queen Elizabeth's 50 year reign with an unprecedented Golden Jubilee. The month-long festivities included parades, parties, concerts, exhibits and more.

A four-winged Microraptor fossil is found in China.

More than 120 people perish in a South Korean subway fire.

The credibility of the Catholic Church is severely threatened by allegations that church officials covered up molestations by current and former priests.

OTHER NEWS

- FBI Lawyer Coleen Rowley disclosed to Congress that the FBI disregarded information that could have prevented the Sept. 11 attacks on the United States.
- A Chicago nightclub stampede left 21 people dead.
- A piece of the World Trade Center was buried at the U.S. Embassy in Kabul, Afghanistan, in honor of the Sept. 11 anniversary.
- Fifty-six beached pilot whales died at Chapin Beach, MA.
- Kennedy cousin Michael Skakel was convicted of the 1975 murder of Martha Moxley.
- A band's pyrotechnics ignited a Rhode Island nightclub fire that killed more than 90 people.
- R.J. Reynolds was fined $20 million for targeting cigarette ads at teens.
- U.S. wildfires burned more than 1.5 million acres in 2002.
- Former Klansman Bobby Frank Cherry was convicted of the 1963 Alabama church bombing that killed four girls.
- Florida's Pembroke Pines Charter Middle School was the only middle school in the world to have an experiment aboard Shuttle Columbia.

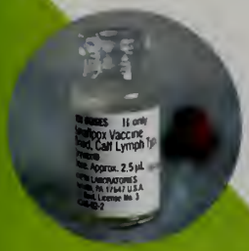
President Bush names Tom Ridge the Department of Homeland Security Adviser. The new department is intended to analyze threats and guard U.S. borders, airports, and infrastructure. It will also coordinate responses to national emergencies.

Hundreds of suspected and known terrorists are arrested worldwide. The Guantanamo Bay U.S. Naval Station in Cuba held more than 500 al-Qaeda and Taliban prisoners.

The Transportation Security Administration coordinates airport security measures including checked baggage screening, strict security checkpoints and random searches.

THE WAR ON TERRORISM

Over the course of the year, the world's attention focused on a chain of tumultuous terrorist events. In Afghanistan, the Taliban regime fell from power as U.S. troops crippled the al-Qaeda network and cleared caves in search of Osama bin Laden. World-wide, civilians and military personnel fell victim to terrorist bombs and acts of hatred. On the home front, "bioterrorism" became a common term after it was revealed that Iraqi leader Saddam Hussein was producing biological weapons. Hussein's defiance of United Nation's imposed sanctions prompted the United States to seek world support of military action against Iraq. Members of the North Atlantic Treaty Organization wrestled over conflicting opinions on the issue, while North Korean leader Kim Jong Il threatened to deploy nuclear weapons if Iraq was attacked. As tensions rose among political leaders, the world watched and waited to see what the next chapter in "The War on Terrorism" would bring.



One million emergency and military personnel receive Smallpox vaccinations.

World-wide, terrorist linked bank accounts are frozen indefinitely.

In Afghanistan, troops overtake the Taliban regime and dismantle the al-Qaeda network. More than 156,000 U.S. troops are deployed to Kuwait in case of a war with Iraq.

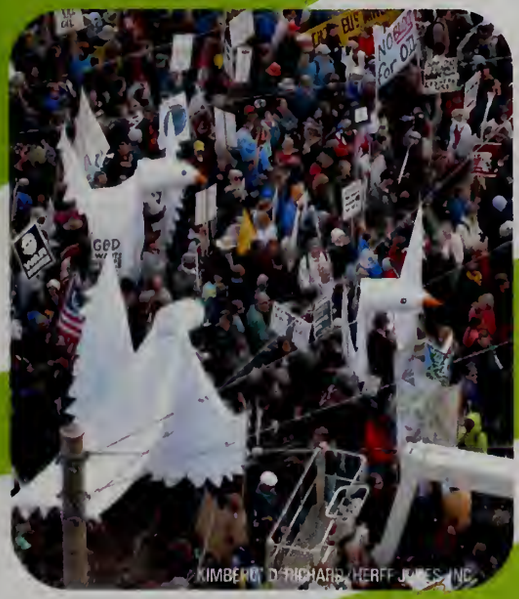
World economies cringe as oil prices rise because of threats of war.

Al-Qaeda leader Osama bin Laden evades U.S. troops in Afghanistan.

Iraq's Saddam Hussein is uncooperative with U.N. weapons inspectors.

In response to a barrage of suicide bombings, Israeli troops invade Palestinian Yasser Arafat's Ramallah compound. Arafat is thought to have supported terrorist groups.

North Korea's Kim Jong Il threatens deployment of Korea's nuclear weapons.



Anti-war marches across America and around the world are attended by thousands hoping for peace.

U.S. President George W. Bush urges the United Nations to impose military action on Iraq in response to Saddam Hussein's defiance of U.N. imposed disarmament resolutions.

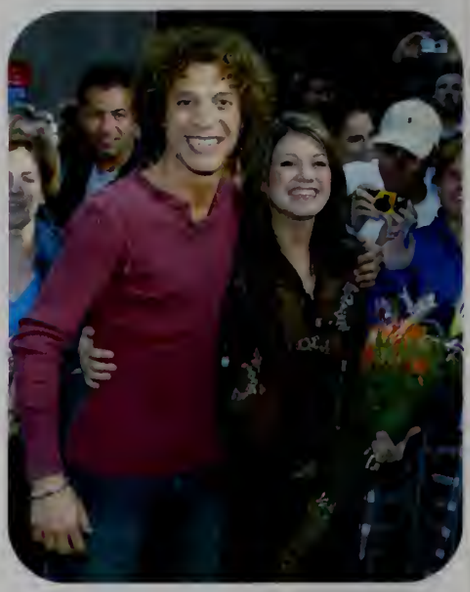
OTHER EVENTS

- **Top al-Qaeda operative Qaed Salim Sinan al-Harethi was killed during a U.S. missile strike in Yemen.**
- **Al-Qaeda military leader and alleged Sept. 11 mastermind, Khalili Shaikh Mohammed, was arrested in Pakistan.**
- **Richard Reid pled guilty to charges that accused him of trying to smuggle explosives concealed in his shoes aboard an airplane.**
- **"Dirty Bomber" Abdullah al Muhajir was detained after evidence indicated he was plotting to detonate a radiological weapon.**
- **Malaysia, Kenya and the Philippines were hit by terrorist bombs.**

Denzel Washington and Halle Berry win Oscars for Best Actor and Best Actress in 2002. Washington made his directorial debut with "Antwon Fisher" while Berry followed up as a "Die Another Day" Bond Girl.

"Friends" wins its first Emmy for Best Comedy Series. Star Jennifer Aniston collects Golden Globe, Emmy and People's Choice awards for her role as Rachel.

Reality shows such as "The Bachelorette," " The Bachelor," "Joe Millionaire," "Survivor" and "Fear Factor" sweep the nation.



Kelly Clarkson beats out Justin Guarini to win her own record deal and become the first "American Idol."

TV & MOVIES

"Harry Potter and the Chamber of Secrets" earns more than $240 million.

Leonardo DiCaprio shines in "Gangs of New York" and "Catch Me if You Can."

Actor Tom Hanks receives the Lifetime Achievement Award at the Golden Globe Awards.

George Lucas's "Star Wars: Episode Two - Attack of the Clones" earns $310 million, making it 2002's No. 2 box office hit.

Creator of "Mister Rogers' Neighborhood," Fred Rogers, dies at 74.

TV's "The Simpsons" airs its 300th episode during its fourteenth season.

Hollywood's hottest couple, Jennifer Lopez and "Daredevil" star Ben Affleck announce their engagement.

"The Bernie Mac Show" is one of Fox's new critically acclaimed comedies.

"The Osbournes" are America's favorite heavy metal family.

"Spider-man" celebrates his 40th birthday in 2002. Actor Tobey McGuire personified "Spidey" in the year's No. 1 box office hit that earned a record $39.4 million on opening day.

Academy Award nominated "My Big Fat Greek Wedding" becomes the largest grossing romantic comedy of all time.

"Alias" star Jennifer Garner appears on the big screen in "Daredevil" and "Catch Me if You Can."

OTHER NEWS in TV & MOVIES

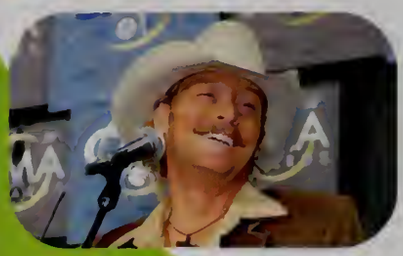
- History was made in 2002 when box office totals exceeded $9 billion and more tickets were sold than in any year since the 1950s.
- Oprah Winfrey received the first-ever Bob Hope Humanitarian Award.
- Musical hit "Chicago" was nominated for 13 Academy Awards.
- Other hot TV shows: "Everybody Loves Raymond," "The George Lopez Show," "CSI " & "CSI: Miami," "My Wife and Kids," "Everwood," "Smallville," "Scrubs," "The Practice," "Six Feet Under," "24," "The Sopranos" and "Boston Public."
- Other hot movies: "Signs," "Lord of the Rings: the Fellowship of the Ring," "Unfaithful," "8 Mile," "Barbershop," "Sweet Home Alabama," "The Hours" and "XXX."
- Entertainers Milton Berle, James Coburn, Richard Harris, Dudley Moore and Richard Crenna died this year.

The Dixie Chicks win Favorite Album and Favorite Band, Group or Duo, Country, at the American Music Awards. They also won three Grammys including Best Country Album for "Home."

No Doubt wins the MTV Best Pop Video Award for "Hey Baby" and a Grammy for Best Pop Performance by a Duo or Group with Vocal. They also performed at the Superbowl XXXVII halftime show.

Michelle Branch records "The Spirit Room" featuring "Everywhere." She also won a Grammy for "The Game of Love" with Carlos Santana.

MUSIC

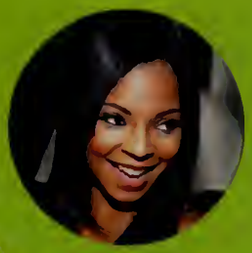


"Where Were You (When The World Stopped Turning)" by Alan Jackson pays tribute to September 11, 2001.

Run DMC's "Jam Master Jay" dies after being gunned down in October.

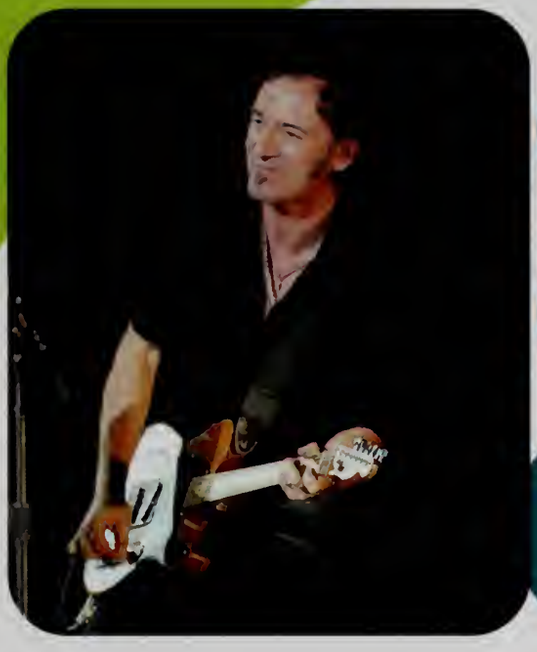
Creed wins Favorite Band, Pop/Rock and Favorite Artist, Alternative at the American Music Awards. Their album "Weathered" went platinum six times and featured "My Sacrifice."

Trey Anastasio reunites with Phish after an extended hiatus.

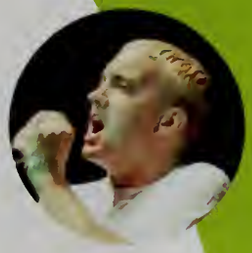


Favorite New Artist is awarded to Ashanti at the American Music Awards.

Nelly releases "Nellyville" featuring songs "Dilemma" and "Hot In Herre."



Avril Lavigne debuts "Let Go" featuring "Sk8er Boi" and "Complicated."



Eminem stars in "8 Mile" and releases a new album "The Eminem Show."

Lisa "Left Eye" Lopez, member of R&B trio TLC, dies in a car accident.

Bruce Springsteen and The E Street Band tour the United States and Europe following the release of their album "The Rising" which wins Best Rock Album at the Grammys.

Norah Jones is Best New Artist and wins two Grammys for her album "Come Away With Me." She also took home two Grammys for the song "Don't Know Why."

John Mayer wins the Best Male Pop Vocal Performance Grammy for "Your Body Is A Wonderland."

OTHER NEWS in MUSIC

- **Sheryl Crow released her new record "C'mon C'mon" and won a Grammy for "Steve McQueen." She also teamed up with Kid Rock for the single "Picture."**
- **Justin Timberlake launched his solo career with the album "Justified."**
- **"Spider-man" won Favorite Soundtrack at the American Music Awards.**
- **Rosemary Clooney died at 74 of cancer.**
- **Britney Spears won Best Pop Vocal Album at the American Music Awards for her self-titled album.**
- **Other names in music this year include Tim McGraw, Usher, Pink, Vanessa Carlton, Eve, Shania Twain and J.Lo.**

Honda designs a four-foot robot, Asimo, that knows how to walk, climb stairs, recognize voices and understand human gestures and movement. The robot operated within the human living environment, connected to the internet and provided news and weather updates.

Digital camcorders, DVDs and digital media receivers are hot buys.

The technology industry introduces the handheld computer.

Cell phones connect to the internet, send e-mails and take pictures.

TRENDS & TECHNOLOGY

Yoga is a popular exercise for the mind, body and soul.

Honda and Toyota introduce hybrid cars. Gas engines and electric motors powered these environmentally advanced and fuel-efficient vehicles.

Pepsi Twist, Vanilla Coke, Jakada Coffee Latte and Red Bull are trendy drinks.

European-style sneakers and shoes are a popular look this year.

Nokia introduces "N-Gage," a video game console combined with a mobile phone. N-Gage played MP3 files, had multiplayer capabilities and could send e-mail and text messages.

Credit cards take on a new look with the Discover 2GO Card.

GPS (Global Positioning System) is a satellite-aided tracking system.

Actors from the film "L.A. D.J." model fashion fads. Low-rise jeans, tank tops, wide belts, cargo pants, rugby shirts, 70's style clothing and terry cloth sweat suits were also popular.

Kelly Rowland is stylin' with extreme color highlights in her hair.

Advancements in laser technology give surgeons the ability to reshape the eye to reduce or eliminate the need for contact lenses and glasses.

OTHER NEWS in TRENDS & TECHNOLOGY

- TiVo, a digital video recorder, allowed viewers to record their favorite shows without tapes or timers. It also had the ability to pause, rewind or replay live TV.
- The price of a 42-inch plasma television dropped to $6,000. The gas-based displays were as thin as four inches.
- Nintendo released the limited edition Platinum Game Boy Advance priced at $79.95. They also unveiled a new video game console, GameCube, which sold for $199.95.
- Scientists turned to desktop printers in an effort to produce three-dimensional tubes of living tissue. Many laboratories were printing arrays of DNA, proteins and cells.
- Segway introduced the first "Human Transporter." The upright, personal transportation device was designed to operate in any pedestrian environment and retailed at $4,950.
- The Packbot was recruited by the U.S. Army to help fight the war against terrorism. The robot transmitted images from inside caves, letting troops know if it was safe to proceed.

The Anaheim Angels celebrate their first World Series championship. They beat the San Francisco Giants in a seven-game series.

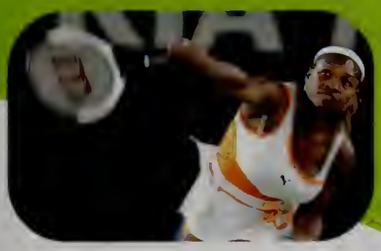
The University of Maryland claims the 2002 NCAA College Basketball Championship.

SPORTS

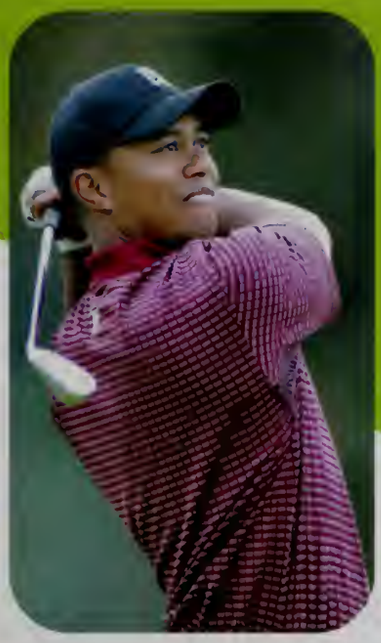
Andre Agassi wins his fourth Australian Open.

Michael Waltrip takes the flag at a rain-shortened Daytona 500. This was his second Daytona victory.

Brazil defeats Germany 2-0 in the first FIFA World Cup to be held in Asia.

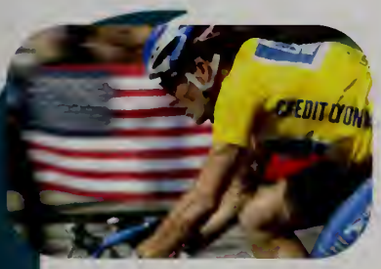


Serena Williams becomes the fifth woman in history to hold all four Grand Slam tennis titles at once.

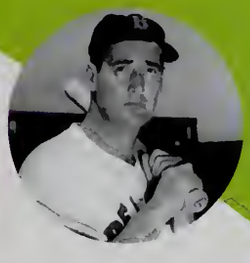


The PGA's money leaders for 2002 are Tiger Woods, Phil Mickelson and Vijay Singh.

The University of Connecticut wins its 39th consecutive game and the NCAA Women's Basketball Championship by defeating Duke.



Lance Armstrong is the first American to win four consecutive Tour de France titles.



Boston Red Sox baseball legend Ted Williams dies at 83.

Baltimore Colts football great Johnny Unitas dies at 69.

The Tampa Bay Buccaneers claim their first Super Bowl Championship with a 48-21 victory over the Oakland Raiders.

Ohio State stunned Miami in double overtime to win college football's national championship.

The Detroit Red Wings capture the Stanley Cup by defeating the Carolina Hurricanes.

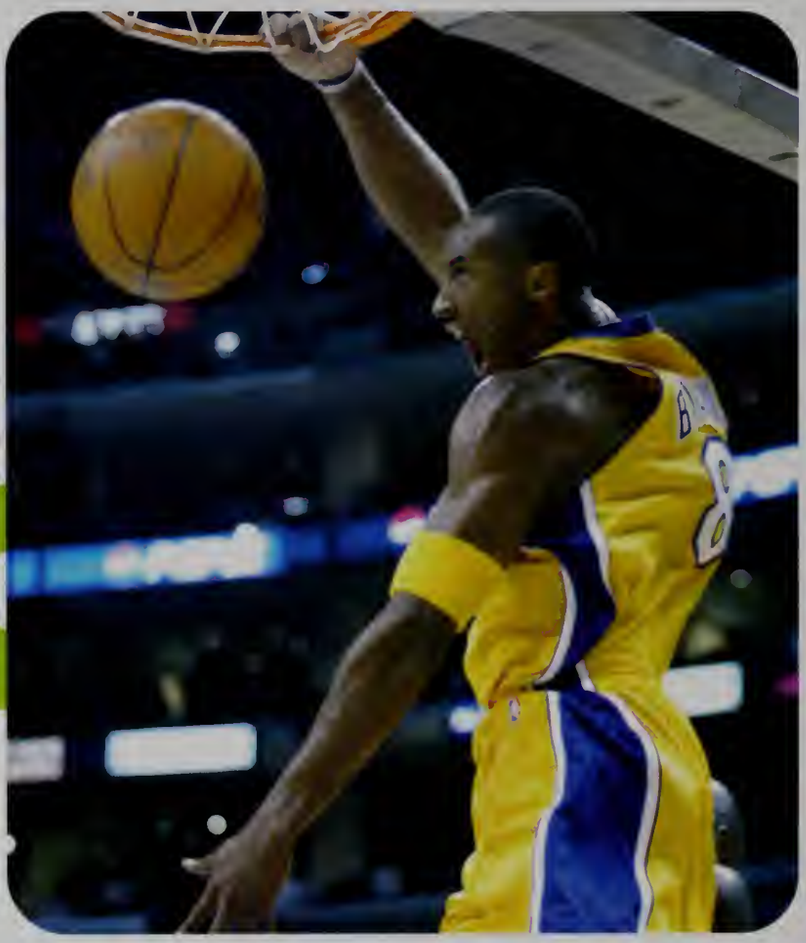
War Emblem races to victory at the Kentucky Derby.

Tasha Schwikert wins the 2002 International Women's All-Around Gymnastics Championship.

Winter X Gamers Shaun White and Gretchen Bleiler claim the gold in the Men's and Women's Superpipe.

Gary Kasparov beats a super computer after a four-hour chess match.

Michael Jordan announces his retirement at the NBA All Star game.



Kobe Bryant, Shaquille O'Neal and the L.A. Lakers defeat the New Jersey Nets in a 4-0 sweep of the 2002 NBA Championship series. The win was the Lakers' third consecutive title.

Annika Sorenstam is the first woman to play on the PGA tour in 58 years.

Patrick Tillman leaves his $3.6 million NFL contract to enlist in the Army.

OTHER NEWS in SPORTS

- **The University of Texas men and Auburn University women won the 2002 NCAA Swimming and Diving Championships.**
- **Minnesota Timberwolves' Kevin Garnett was named the NBA All Star MVP. Garnett led the West to victory in double overtime.**
- **St. Louis Cardinals' Pitcher Darryl Kile died of a heart attack at 33. Roone Arledge, creator of "Wide World of Sports" and "Monday Night Football," died at 71.**
- **The University of Texas defeated the University of South Carolina to win the College World Series.**

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